

WEATHER—Rain, not so cold Tuesday; Wednesday cloudy and colder

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COOLIDGE AGAINST LEGISLATION

CONGRESS OPENING FLOODED WITH BILLS

PROHIBITION, TAX
REDUCTION, RADIO
FARM RELIEF URGED

These Problems Draw
Attention From "Lame
Ducks"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The country is thinking about prohibition, tax reduction, radio and farm relief — if the shower of bills thrown into congress on its opening may be taken to show the trend of public thought.

Members, fresh from contact with home influences, literally engulfed the dying session of the 69th congress today with bills and resolutions bearing on this quartet of problems.

Many members of congress are determined to abolish the nuisance taxes growing out of the World war. A half dozen bills dealing with the remaining "war taxes" have been introduced.

The advice of President Coolidge and the program of Democratic leaders both have been disregarded as individual members have written their own ideas into tax bills.

The early rush to present tax-reduction measures forecasts a determined effort to alter some schedules of last year's tax law, although Republican leaders already have turned thumbs down on the suggestion.

Cotton is entering into the farm-relief fight with new force, it is indicated in the new bills. One bill by Representative Langford (D) of Georgia has proposed a cotton corporation, with the government providing \$500,000,000 capital stock.

The revised McNary-Haugen bill of the farm bloc is scheduled to be started on its uncertain journey tomorrow. There are rumblings of a farm bloc demand for a special session of congress if relief efforts fail.

Prohibition registered an emphatic note in the bills of the short session. The proposal of Representative Gallivan (D) of Massachusetts, for referendums in every state at the next election is one of many bills introduced or in preparation.

Resolutions to provide a temporary cure for alleged chaotic conditions in radio broadcasting by prohibiting further licensing until permanent legislation is passed reflected the wide interest among members of congress in this subject.

More than 12,000 bills now await action on the congressional calendars. Hundreds of new bills are expected to be introduced by the end of the week.

**TRACK OWNERS LOSE
IN SUPREME COURT**

COLUMBUS, Dec. 7.—By a tie vote, 3 to 3, the state supreme court it was announced today, overruled a motion to dissolve the temporary injunction issued some months ago by the supreme court prohibiting betting at the race track operated near Cleveland by the Thistledown Company. One judge did not vote.

By the same vote, the court rejected a motion to dismiss the suit instituted by Attorney-General C. C. Crabbé in which the supreme court is asked to permanently enjoin the Thistledown Company from permitting alleged illegal betting at its race course.

The supreme court, it was announced today, dismissed the appeal of the Realty Holding Co. Inc. from the judgment of the Hamilton County appellate court, which temporarily enjoined the company and the Queen City Driving Club from permitting betting at the Coney Island race track, near Cincinnati.

**NAMED HEAD OF
LIMA HOSPITAL**

COLUMBUS, Dec. 7.—Appointment of Dr. W. H. Vorbau as superintendent of the Lima state hospital was announced today by Dr. John E. Harper, state director of welfare. The appointment is effective immediately.

Vorbau, who succeeds the late Superintendent Charles H. Clark, who died recently, has been superintendent at Orient since July 15. Vorbau formerly was a member of Dr. Clark's staff at the Lima state hospital.

TRYED FOR MURDER

COLUMBUS, Dec. 7.—Accused of killing Wm. Stavropoulos in a restaurant here, August 5, 1923, Lewis Sims, colored, is on trial in common pleas court here today, under indictment charging first-degree murder.



There were years and years between the times that Fred C. Kelly posed for these two photos, but he's still riding the same hobby. Dogs take up all the spare time of the famed author and philosopher. * Xenia, in the nineties, knew the dashing young man at left; it was only a matter of time until most of the world knew him.

**CAPTIVES PROVE TO BE CAPTORS
AND ARE SAFE WITH RUM VESSEL**

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—V. D. that the schooner was turned over to custom officials in Puerto.

Matthew's cablegram read:

"Arrived here Monday at 10 a. m. with Arsene J. and crew, Handley with me. Customs officer has schooner in charge. Crew of schooner under arrest. Cable instructions care Acting American Consul J. Stark."

Jackson said he would ask the advice of the state department regarding whether the Arsene J. would be brought back to this port.

Miss Clara Bauldaff, Massillon; Harry W. Williams, Alliance, draftsman; John H. Ringer, Canton salesman; Hattie Oakleaf, Navarre; Ida Young, Norman Biery, farmer; C. W. Ream, apartment house manager, Canton; Donald Auld, Canton machinist; Mrs. G. E. Kramer, Massillon; Mrs. Annie Winnall, North Canton.

Harry George, Canton salesman, tentatively seated in the jury box yesterday, was excused by Judge E. W. Diehl when he announced he was a relative of one of the defense attorneys' law partners.

The jurors tentatively seated this morning were:

Miss Clara Bauldaff, Massillon; Harry W. Williams, Alliance, draftsman; John H. Ringer, Canton salesman; Hattie Oakleaf, Navarre; Ida Young, Norman Biery, farmer; C. W. Ream, apartment house manager, Canton; Donald Auld, Canton machinist; Mrs. G. E. Kramer, Massillon; Mrs. Annie Winnall, North Canton.

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Hyman's Great Profit Sharing CHRISTMAS SALE

**SALE
STARTS
Thursday
December 9th**

In order to show our keen appreciation of your patronage during the present year we are radiating the true Christmas spirit by **GIVING YOU OUR PROFITS**, in this Monster Merchandising Spectacle Unsurpassed in the History of Xenia Retailing, offering you unparalleled money saving opportunities on the entire stock of Hyman's Clothing Store.

Every one living in this community knows that when Hyman holds a sale prices are cut to rock bottom, leaving every item a sensational value. Don't fail to take advantage of the many astounding bargains listed below and the hundreds of others which the lack of space prevents us from mentioning.

**At the stroke of NINE
THURSDAY
Morning Dec. 9th.**

This Great Profit Sacrificing Event will start; everything is in readiness to take care of your wants; the price tags tell the tale, it means a saving of many dollars of your Christmas Shopping money. You just can't afford to miss it.

Store Closed Wednesday, Dec. 8, to Mark Down and Arrange Stock

**SELECT YOUR
Christmas Gifts
HERE
And Save
The Difference**

Men's extra heavy cotton ribbed union suits. Best grade. Regular \$2 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.43**

Men's fine corduroy trousers. Well made. Regular \$4.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$3.45**

Combination Set of fancy Hose and Garters in an attractive Xmas box. A fine gift. Regular \$1.35 value. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **98c**

Men's pure Silk Scarfs in a great variety of beautiful patterns. A dandy gift. Regular \$2.50 value. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.83**

Fine Silk Neckwear in attractive holiday gift boxes. Regular \$1.25 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **95c**

Men's High Grade Outing Flannel Pajamas. Splendid patterns. Well made. An ideal gift. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.95**

True Shape Hosiery. Put up two pair in an attractive gift box. A gift that is bound to please. Regular 75c quality. 2 pair in our Xmas Profit Sharing Sale **98c**

Fine Silk Lisle Hose. Four ply heel and toe. In grey, French Tan and black. Regular 35c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **23c**

Men's best quality Genuine Amoskeag Outing Flannel Night Shirt. Full cut. Regular \$1.75 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **48c**

Men's and Boys' Bow Tie and Handkerchief Sets. Made in attractive patterns of fine quality silk. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **55c**

Men's fine Kid Dress Gloves. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Sale Price **1.78**

Men's high grade silk and silk and wool hose. Three ply heel and toe. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **89c**

Men's fine dress Shirts. Made of fine percales, broadcloth and madras. Neckband or collar attached. Regular \$2.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.65**

Extra heavy weight can-vas and Jersey gloves. Regular 20c value. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **11c**

Men's High Grade Cotton Dress Hose in black or brown. Regular 15c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **9c**

Fine grade Men's Fleeced or Cotton Shirts and Drawers. Regular \$1.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **83c**

Fine Cut Silk Neckwear in a great variety of patterns. Reg. 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **45c**

One lot of young men's all wool suits. Broken sizes. **\$9.45**
Values up to \$27.50.

Band bows in individual Xmas gift boxes. A fine gift. 65c quality **43c**
75c quality **53c**

Men's Fine Cotton Ribbed Union Suits. Full size well made. Regular \$1.65 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.23**

All \$27.50 and \$30.00 all wool suits. **\$19.75**

Men's genuine cow hide belts and fancy patterns or plain colors, each in an individual gift box. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **95c**

Men's Fine Dress Shirts in Madras, Jacquards, Broadcloths and Silk Stripe novelties. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.85**

Our regular \$25.00 all wool suits **\$14.75**

Combination garter and silk tie sets, packed in gift boxes. This would please him. Reg. \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **98c**

Men's Dress Caps in good patterns. Well made. Regular \$2.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.59**

All \$27.50 and \$30.00 all wool suits. **\$19.85**

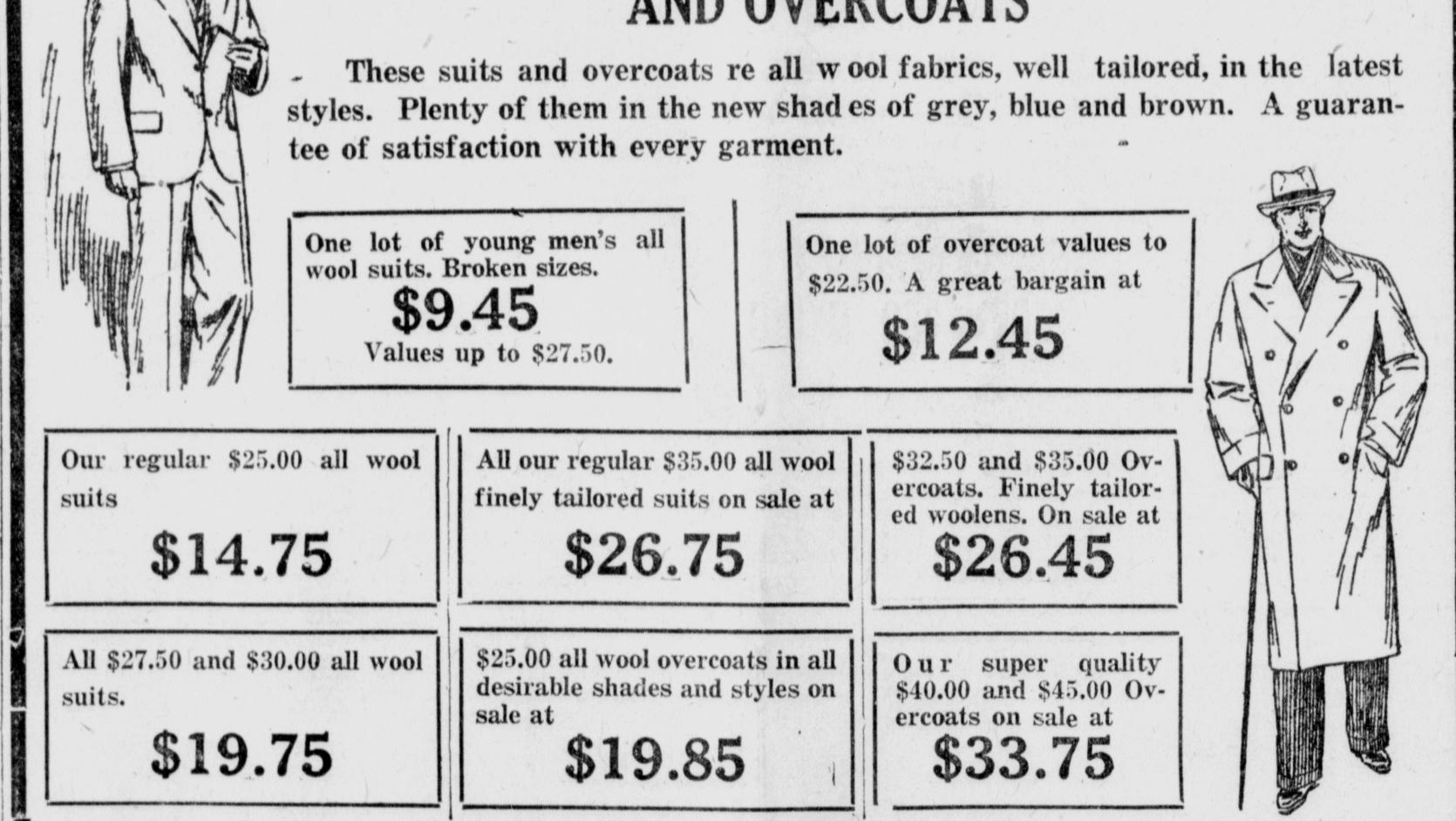
Men's fine Dress Shirts. Made of fine materials in a variety of pleasing patterns, full cut. Neckband or collar attached. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.15**

Men's Fine Fur Felt Hats with plain or fancy bands Roll or snap brims. Regular \$5.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.15**

OPEN EVENINGS

WONDERFUL BARGAINS IN MENS' AND YOUNG MENS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS

These suits and overcoats are all wool fabrics, well tailored, in the latest styles. Plenty of them in the new shades of grey, blue and brown. A guarantee of satisfaction with every garment.



Men's fine Dress Shirts. Made of fine materials in a variety of pleasing patterns, full cut. Neckband or collar attached. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.15**

Men's Fine Fur Felt Hats with plain or fancy bands Roll or snap brims. Regular \$5.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.15**

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Men's fine heavy wool sweater coats. Regular \$6.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.85**

Men's fine bath robes. Beautiful patterns. Regular \$6.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.95**

Men's extra fine fur, felt and beaver hats. Regular \$6.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.85**

Men's Overalls. Our own special make. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **95c**

Men's Dress Caps. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **95c**



One lot boys' knee pants. While they last at our Xmas Profit Sharing Price **69c**

Men's extra fine Dress Caps. Full leather sweats. Pure satin lining. Unbreakable visors. Regular \$3.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **2.35**

Men's super quality bath robes. Beautiful patterns. Extra heavy. Regular \$8.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **6.35**

Men's fine all wool dress trousers. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **2.95**

Men's Fine Dress Hats. Plain or fancy bands. Roll or snap brims. Regular \$4.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **2.95**

Men's heavy weight blue denim Overalls, triple stitch. Full cut. Regular \$1.95 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.45**

Men's Dress Trousers in a wide variety of choice patterns made of fine woolens. Regular \$5.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **3.95**

Boys' All Wool Thermos Brand Sweaters. Made in beautiful color combinations. Just the thing to give to a boy. Regular \$3.75 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **2.85**

Men's Genuine Paris Garters. Wide web. Regular 35c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **2.85**

Men's fine Leather Wide Belts. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.85**

Men's Rayon Silk Hose. In plain and fancy patterns. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **43c**

Men's extra heavy mohair knit sweaters, knit in sleeves and pockets. Regular \$8.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **6.95**

Men's extra fine silk ties made of imported silks. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.15**

One lot of boys' lined knee pants. Good quality woolens. Values to \$3.75. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.95**

Men's heavy wool work Hose. Three ply heel and toe. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **19c**

Men's heavy corduroy caps with ear tabs. Regular \$1.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **69c**

Men's fine leather wide belts. Plain or fancy patterns. Regular \$1.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **68c**

Men's Fine Dress Gloves of pigskin or cape. All desirable shades. These will make a nice gift. Regular \$3.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **2.68**

Men's high grade corduroy trousers. Extra heavy weight and well made. Regular \$5 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.15**

HYMAN'S CLOTHING

50-52 E. MAIN ST.

Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

YOUNG MUSICIANS ON MUSIC CLUB PROGRAM

A distinct departure from the regular programs of the Xenia Woman's Music Club, was noted in the recital of young music students of the city, under the direction of Mrs. Alice Ruthrauff, at her home on N. King St., Monday afternoon.

The program was presented entirely by students, who were gathered from the various music instructors of the city, and were all high school students. The numbers showed unusual talent and the different type of program was highly appreciated by the club members.

The program was as follows:

Hungarian March, (piano duet), Berlioz

Helen and Lois Street, Chant d'Amour, (piano solo), Paderewski

Mary Elizabeth Bryson Thais, (violin solo), Massenet

Charles Karch Gondoliera, (piano solo), Nevin

Betty Kingsbury Novellette, (piano solo), Schumann

Emma LaMar Song Without Words (violin solo), Tschaikowsky Julian Doggett A Winter Lullaby DeKoven

When Day Is Gone Margaret Lange The Valley of Laughter, Sanderson (Vocal Solos)

Dorothy Devoe Moment Musical, (piano solo), Schubert

Frances Marshall Passe-Pied, Gillet Romance sans Paroles Goens (Cello solos)

Lois Street Widmung, (piano solo), Schuman

Roy Seifert Adoration, (violin solo), Borowski

Dorothy Hamlin Scenes from an Imaginary Ballet, II and III, (piano solo), Coleridge-Taylor Sara Davidson

GIFTS FOR ORPHANS SENT BY SOCIETY

Christmas joy and merriment will be heightened this year for children at the Peck Home, Faith Kindergarten, New Orleans and for a young girl at Aiken Home, Olive Hill, Ky., through the kindness of members of Second Auxiliary, Woman's Home Missionary Society, First M. E. Church, who brought gifts of garments, toys and good things to the home of Mrs. G. G. McClain, Monday night, to be sent to the homes.

The society is educating and helps clothe the girl at Aiken Home, and the little tots at Peck Home were also remembered with garments, toys, books, etc. The two boxes will be sent by Miss Bertha Hook, chairman of supplies in the society, and will reach the homes before Christmas.

The program for the evening was in charge of the leader of the third group, Mrs. R. W. Irwin. Miss Martha Crawford led the devotions. Miss Marian Moser gave a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Clemmer. Two readings, "Mandy's Resolutions" and "Christmas Reminiscences," were given by Mrs. C. R. Stearns.

Dorothy Clemmer played piano solo and the regular program closed with the study of the chapter, "Extension Work in the Local Parish" in charge of Miss Imo Marshall. Mrs. Oren Ledbetter, president, presided at a brief business meeting.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. McClain and her assistants, Mrs. Lena Chambliss, Mrs. Ben Chambliss, Miss Edith Need, Miss Amanda Powell, Miss Clara Marshall, Mrs. A. E. Faulkner and Miss Edith Miller.

MR. AND MRS. HAGLER CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hagler opened their country home on the Hook Road, Monday evening, in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

Covers for twenty-five were laid for dinner. The Hagler home was decorated in yellow and white, a large basket of yellow chrysanthemums, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Hagler's children, occupying a place of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagler received a handsome array of gifts from friends, honoring their anniversary.

A feature of the occasion was the reading of a reminiscence article, written in gold, by Mrs. Will Bootes.

XENIANS ENTERTAINED ELABORATELY IN DAYTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Converse entertained last Friday evening at their beautiful home in Dayton View. Three tables of five hundred were in play as the guest diversion. A novel idea was carried out in presenting the score prizes, each couple being awarded a prize, according to the merits of its score cards.

At a late hour, the guests were ushered into the beautifully decorated dining room, where the Christmas season was foretold in gorgeous bloom of poinsettias.

A delectable two course luncheon was served, with the table favors of dainty baskets for the men and American beauty rosebuds filled with Christmas candies for the women. Place cards bore the names of the following:

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunlap, Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spahr, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Flison, Xenia.

DINNER-DANCE FOR SHOW CAST THURSDAY

Ivanhoe Lodge, Knights of Pythias and Triumph Temple, Pythian Sisters, will entertain members of the cast of "The Bandbox Revue" recently presented in Xenia, under auspices of the lodges, at a dinner-dance at the K. of P. Hall, Thursday evening of this week.

Invitations to the cast are not being issued with the exception of this notice. Dinner will be served to only members of the cast, but girl members are permitted to invite friend for the dance and men members may invite a girl guest. Other outsiders will be charged an admission fee.

XENIAN MARRIED IN INDIANA RECENTLY

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mearick, Wayne Ave., Dayton, are announcing the marriage of their sister, Miss Ruth Creager, to Mr. William Weiss, Lower Bellbrook Pike, Thursday, November 24, at the First Reformed parsonage, Fort Wayne, Ind., the Rev. Mr. Tapp, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Weiss arrived at their home near Xenia, Monday evening, after spending their honeymoon in Indiana.

HALLER-ROGERS NUPTIALS MONDAY

Mr. Herman Haller, this city and Miss Geneva Rogers, Waynesville, O., were married in Waynesville, Monday and have taken up their residence in one of the King properties on E. Second St. this city.

OLD TOWN RUN CLUB

Old Town Run Club will meet Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. A good program will be given and each family is asked to bring fruit salad or wafers. The public is invited.

UNION CLUB MEETS

The Union Community Club will hold a covered-dish supper at the school, Friday evening, Dec. 10, at 7 o'clock. Each family is requested to bring a covered dish and sandwiches, also plates and silver.

Clear Your Head

KONDON'S will do it quick. Cold and head, cough, coryza, nasal and dry catarrh, headache, earache, deafness, sore nose, sore lips, bad breath, sore cold, hay fever. Ask your doctor, nurse or dentist. At druggists 50c or 60c in tubes. Thirty-five years doing good.

FREE — 20 treatment times. Write for your name. KONDON, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY

SOCIAL LEADERS SHOW WHAT'S WHAT IN WINTER COATS



Got that winter coat yet? These new photos of social leaders, taken in New York, may help you decide. L. to r.: Mrs. Dudley Coats, on Park avenue; Mrs. Oliver Harriman, at United Hunts meet; Miss Katherine V. Brown, on Park avenue; Mrs. Jerome Bonaparte, at United Hunts meet; Mrs. S. S. White, of Philadelphia, sailing for Europe

Calendar Of Events

Finney Millinery room, Steele Bldg.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 13: Xenia S. P. O. D. of P. Phi Delta Kappa. Social Service Board Meet, City Hall, 7:15 o'clock.

ARRANGE FUNERAL Remains of William McLaughlin, 56, who died at the Greene County Infirmary, Monday, were removed to the Nagley Funeral Home, E. Market St., and interment will take place in the family plot in Jamestown Cemetery, Wednesday morning at 10:30. A brief service will be held at the grave.

PARTITION SOUGHT BY COURT ACTION

Suit seeking partition of property has been filed in Common Pleas Court by C. H. Chitty against Olive V. Chitty Edmonds, L. D. Chitty, Rose Marchant, W. F. Chitty, John Chitty, Basil Chitty, A. S. Chitty, and Mary Zimmerman. Marcus Shoup is attorney for the plaintiff.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Harry F. Semler, Osborn, laborer, and Leah May Stewart, R. R. 3, Xenia, Rev. Imhoff, Fairfield. Earl Leroy Cyphers, Alpha, O. plasterer, and Lucy Isabel Middleton, R. R. 7, Xenia. Emmett Massie, Milledgeville, O., laborer, and Edna Rogers, Jamestown, O.

Evan Raymond Burba, O. S. and S. O. Home, dairyman, and Frances Maud Robinson, O. S. and S. O. Home. Rev. Snyder.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7: Obedient Council D. of A. Xenia L. O. O. F. Rotary. Kiwanis. Clifton Presbyterian Church Bazaar at Pythian Hall, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8: Jr. O. U. A. M. Ivanhoe Lodge, K. of P. Church Prayer Meetings. L. O. O. M. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9: Red Men. P. of X. D. of A. Rebekahs. Amer. Ins. Union. W. R. C. FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10: Eagles. Maccabees. SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11: G. A. R. Modern Woodmen. U. B. Church Rummage Sale.

Dr. G. W. Kuhn will attend the extracting section of the Ohio State Dental Society, at Columbus, Wednesday.

Standard Bearers, First M. E. Church, will be the guests of Miss Helen Currie, W. Church St., at a Christmas party, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Each member will bring a ten cent gift for the tree and those who have not paid their dues are asked to come prepared to do so.

Mr. Harvey C. Upman was removed to his home on California St., Monday from McClellan Hospital, where he recently underwent an operation.

Regular December meeting of the South Side W. C. T. U. has been postponed until January, 1927, it is announced.

Ladies Aid Society, First Lutheran Church, will be received by Mrs. Ed Nichols, New Burlington Pike, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, prompt.

Mr. W. H. Kepler, N. Detroit St., left Monday evening for Chicago, Ill., to be gone several days.

Anyone having articles for the Presbyterian bazaar Thursday is asked to take them to the home of Mrs. W. E. Cox, N. King St., Wednesday afternoon, so that they may be marked by the committee in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitford, Dayton, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Margaret Lee, Sunday. Mrs. Whitford was before marriage Miss Elsie Robinette, this city.

Dr. Arthur C. McCormick is attending the sixty-first session of the Ohio State Dental Society at Columbus. The society will be in session until Dec. 9.

Hattie Toner, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Toner, S. Galloway St., who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is convalescent.

Today's Offer—
Stomach Agony Goes

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN ALL MY LIFE?

ISN'T IT WONDERFUL THAT WE MET AGAIN? I'M SO GLAD YOU CAME OVER!

DO YOU KNOW ETTA THAT YOU'RE THE FIRST GIRL I HAVE EVER LOVED?

AND DO YOU KNOW YOU'RE THE FIRST FELLOW I'VE EVER KISSED?

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WILBERFORCE PRESIDENT SAYS CHARGES RESULT FROM GOSSIP

As soon as a formal request is filed, State Auditor Joseph T. Tracy announced Monday he is ready to begin an investigation of alleged financial irregularities in the operation of the Combined Normal and Industrial Department of Wilberforce University.

A formal statement explaining the controversy was expected to be drawn up by officials of the school Tuesday.

EAST END NEWS
MRS. JAMES HARRIS
Correspondent
TEL. 91-R

The Effie Carter W. C. T. will hold its regular monthly session at the home of Mrs. Mary Beckley, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The change is made on account of the county executive. The members are urged to be present. Please bring some one with you.

Mrs. Lou Young, E. Church St., has been confined indoors by illness for seven weeks.

The information has been received here by relatives that Mrs. Jettie Harris of E. Third St., now spending the winter with her son, Mr. D. L. Harris of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, had the misfortune to fall and break her right hip. She is now in the hospital in Calgary.

Rev. A. M. Howe, E. Market St., Rev. A. L. Dooley, Mr. William Washington, Mr. and Mrs. James Harris, were in attendance Sunday afternoon at the ninth anniversary service of the Zion Baptist Church, Dayton, Ohio. The Rev. C. T. Isom, executive secretary of the General Association, Baptist, Columbus, O., and Rev. J. L. Francis, Moderator of the Western Union Association, Hamilton, O., were present and made addresses. A large congregation from the various churches of the city was present.

President Jones declares the investigation made by the detective could not have had the authorization of the A. M. E. Church and that he has probably been relying on "gossip of jealous and disgruntled people in the state."

President Jones and Dr. Joseph

St. is among the sick this week.

Mrs. Annabelle Gilkey, E. Church St., fell on the ice Monday and badly dislocated and sprained her ankle.

"CASCARETS" FOR BOWELS, STOMACH, HEADACHE, COLDS

Clean your liver and constipated bowels to-night and feel fine

Get a 10-cent box now. Are you keeping your liver, stomach and bowels clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and fumes; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

No odds how sick, headache, bilious and constipated you feel. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

Another message from the West Kasson was apparently relayed to the steamer West Kasson and said: "No danger; have it under control."

The West Kasson is carrying a cargo which is mostly nitrates.

Acid Stomach

"Phillips Milk of Magnesia"

Better than Soda

Hereafter, instead of soda take a little "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" in water any time for indigestion or sour, acid, gassy stomach, and relief will come instantly.

For fifty years genuine "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" has been prescribed by physicians because it overcomes three times as much acid in the stomach as a saturated solution of bicarbonate of soda, leaving the stomach sweet and free from all gases. It neutralizes acid fermentations in the bowels and gently urges the souring waste from the system without purging. Besides, it is more pleasant to take than soda. Insist upon "Phillips." Twenty-five cent and fifty cent bottles, any druggist. "Milk of Magnesia" has been the U. S. Registered Trade Mark of The Charles H. Phillips Chemical Co. and its predecessor Charles H. Phillips since 1875.

W. L. Miller
T. J. Kennedy
Edward Wood

Civil Service Commission.

Civil Service

Notice is hereby given that an examination of applicants for the position of fireman in the Fire Department in the City of Xenia, Ohio, will be held in the office of Miller and Finney, in the Allen Bldg., Xenia, Ohio, Thursday evening, December 9th, 1926, 7:00 p. m.

W. L. Miller
T. J. Kennedy
Edward Wood

Civil Service Commission.

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EDITORIAL

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DEFINING A MILLION DOLLARS

Jackson Barnett is a name which the smart newspaper observers often use to point a moral and adorn a tale. Jackson Barnett fills a place for illustrations, that no one else holds.

Jackson Barnett is an Indian, of the Cherokee nation, who used to work for fifty cents a day and who fulfilled the highest and farthest meaning of the term, "the poor Indian." He could neither read nor write—nor wanted to. A considerable percent of his vocabulary was made up of the word, "Huh."

And then they struck oil on the property which the government had given him, and now Jackson Barnett's wealth is considerably more than a million dollars and his income from royalties is about what a king's ransom used to be in the day's when there were kings and kings were worth ransoming.

And the smart newspaper observers got new illustration out of Jackson Barnett the other day. Barnett was in court in New York to answer to an inquiry as to his competency to handle this money, and he said, in answer to questions, that he didn't know what a million dollars was—how much it was or where it came from; or what it was good for; but he liked the idea of having it so he could "eat off of it."

Here said the onlookers, is Ignorance.

Well, it is. And if so, isn't it pretty popular and all-prevailing?

Who else knows what a million dollars is, or where it comes from or what it is good for—who else can, and does, translate its value into understandable terms, other than it is good to "eat off of?"

DESERVED COMMENDATION

The load capacity of the American railroads is steadily being increased by installation of improved equipment and other necessary facilities; and they are now handling the greatest volume of traffic in history, without car shortages. It is not by accident that private railroad management has accomplished what political management could not do.

"To have prolonged the period of political control over the railroads, would have meant the continuance of the deadly inefficiency that had disrupted railroad service for two years or more, and would have prevented the adoption of those policies which have been responsible for the present efficiency of railroad operation," says the New York Commercial. "Instead of unprecedented car loadings, industry would now be struggling against car shortages, canceled contracts, frozen loans and languishing trade. Instead of profits here would have been deficits and business failures.

"The country owes a great debt to the experienced and able men who have restored order and efficiency in railroad operation, where chaos and disorder had prevailed. America owes its present prosperity largely to the splendid achievements of the railroads."

LET THE SELLER BEWARE

The federal supreme court has returned an interesting decision which reverses the ancient and now somewhat dis-honorable doctrine of letting the buyer beware.

According to the supreme court, the seller should beware. This applies to the sale of automobiles where a partial payment has been made and there is a chance that the vehicle might stray from the paths of virtue into the sinful highway of liquor transportation.

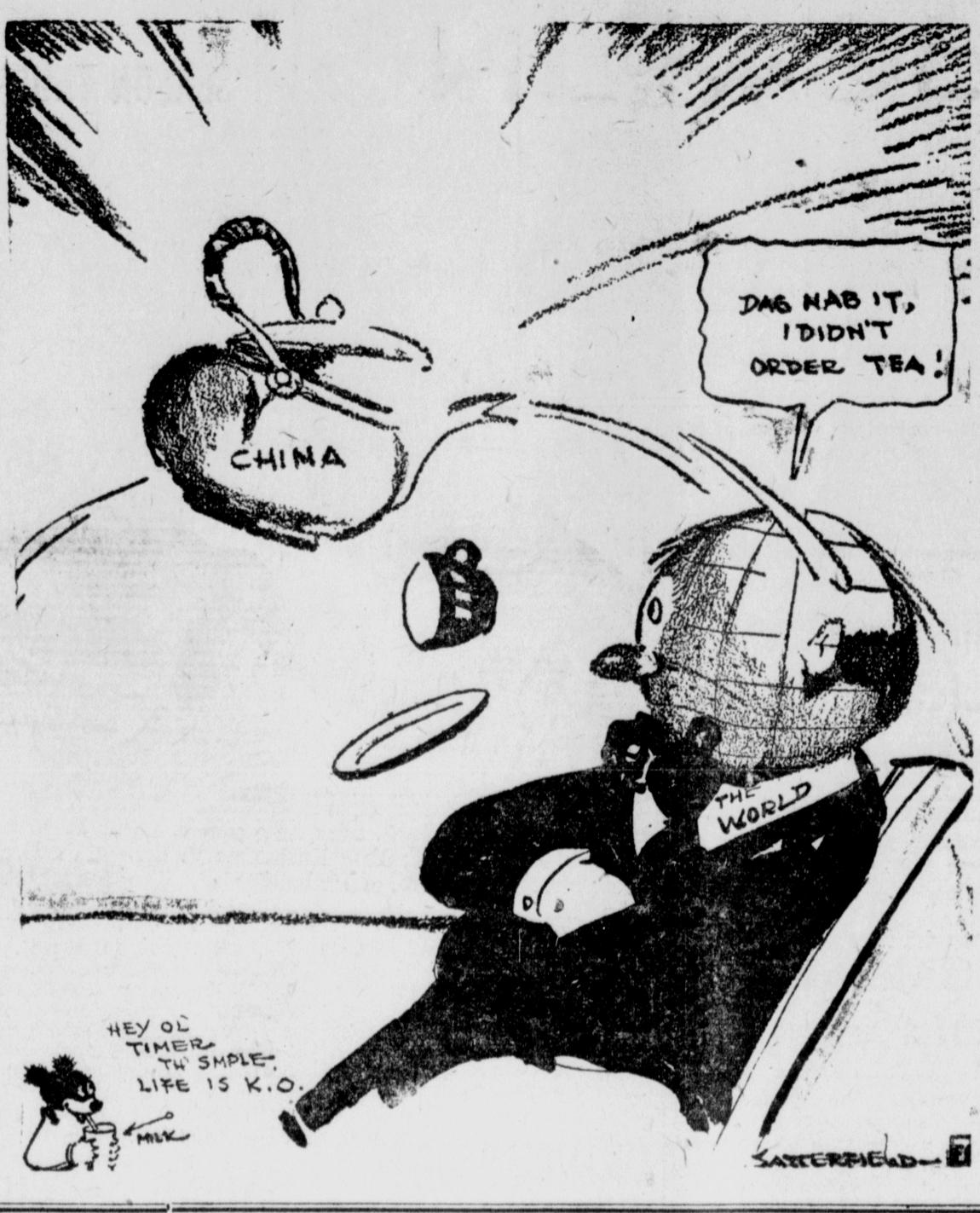
The seller takes the risk. If the car on which he has money due him happens to be confiscated for illegal transportation and the proofs are established, the confiscation holds. This at any rate, seems to be the ruling as the news dispatches report it.

Good credit, therefore, contemplates good morals, also. Business adds to its perplexities the question, "Where is my wandering car tonight?"

GIRLIETTES



Red Hot



EMERSON COLLEGE GRADUATE DIRECTS ANTIQUITY PLAYERS

Bare of actors but looking as though ready for a drama to unfold, doll-like stages give form to the dreams of the Broadway scenery designer.

From some future edifice.

The models are next. Reproduced from the sketches, they are painted and so arranged that with an electric light the designer can see how the stage will look to the audience, even to the lighting effect. The tiny stages are from two to three feet square. Behind the footlights of the theater the settings are magnified twenty-four times, often to become resplendent spectacles. A scale in which one-half inch represents a foot is followed exactly in every miniature molded.

Each scene has a separate stage—the whole model being made of cardboard. Everything—furniture, coloring, lighting effect, is just as it will appear on the real stage. Chairs, tables, beds and other furniture required in the actual stage setting are made in miniature, and arranged as a pattern for the production itself. Scenery designing from beginning to finish is an art. The designer first visualizes the scenery after reading the manuscript of the play. Then he sketches each scene as he visualized it. The sketches are colored and when finished resemble an architect's pic-

ture.

Novel scenery was designed by Barratt for "A Pearl Of Great Price." Impressionistic rather than realistic ideas were carried out. "We have tried not to show any definite period," Barratt said, "but to express moods. Scenery hitherto has been purely realistic, even in the morality plays. In this play, we have sought to reflect the mind of a girl as she goes through different experiences. For instance, when her mind is troubled, the furniture is tilted and the doors and windows oblique. The scenery is askew."

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Members of the cast which will present "Outward Bound" in Xenia have had long experience with the organization. Charles W. Woodbridge, Jr., of Pittsburgh, leading man, is a senior at Antioch College and has been elected president of The Players in recognition of his services with them. The cast was selected after severe try-outs during which the competition for parts was keen.

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Grid Fans Will Honor School Team At Banquet

CENTRAL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION WILL GIVE ANNUAL PARTY

Coach Kolb Hopes To Interest More Boys In Fall Sport

Laying educational and business pursuits on the shelf for the time being, students of Central High School and Xenia merchants will unite in doing honor to the school's winning football eleven at the annual banquet and football party sponsored by the high school athletic association Wednesday night at 6 o'clock in the school cafeteria.

Besides paying an ovation to the grid squad, the banquet will serve the purpose of arousing interest in football at the high school and bringing business men of the city in closer touch with scholastic athletic activities.

Coach Vic Kolb is eager to instill football enthusiasm in the minds of students and hopes that greater interest will be displayed in the pastime by the student body next year. Far too few students each year are desirous of being candidates for the team and this fact handicaps the school each year.

Coach Kolb wants more prospective players from which to make his selections, in other words a bigger grid squad, for the eleven players who composed the winning football team this year were selected from only eighteen candidates.

Then too, business men of the city are particularly urged to be present at the party.

Wednesday's banquet will serve to cement friendships and is termed a "get-together" affair.

Central's 1927 football captain will be announced at the banquet when the result of a secret election held by the letter men some time ago will be disclosed.

Minature gold footballs to be presented the seventeen letter men, including the senior class football manager, obtained from funds raised in a collection taken at the recent Kiwanis-Rotary banquet honoring the squad, have been ordered and may arrive in time for presentation Wednesday night.

A short and attractive program has been arranged. Henry Flynn will act as toastmaster. Short talks will be given by Fred Shultz, George Geyer and other fans, in addition to the captain of the 1926 Washington C. H. High School football eleven.

The Washington C. H. captain, the coach and school principal were invited to attend the affair in order to entrench a warm feeling of friendly athletic relationship between the two schools—traditional rivals in football as well as basketball.

OHIO CONFERENCE OPPOSED TO SHIFT

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—Athletic directors of the Ohio football conference today are on record as opposing the so-called "shift."

The agreement to ban the "shift" from conference football games was reached at the meeting here Monday, when the schedule of games for the 1927 season was agreed upon. Due to strong opposition, a proposed rule abolishing the point-after-touchdown was tabled.

CENTRAL HIGH COURT SCHEDULE INCLUDES FOUR LEAGUE GAMES

Basketball schedules for 1926-27 arranged by the six schools comprising the newly formed Miami Valley League of High School Athletics are being announced by Spencer Shank, principal of Central High School, and secretary of the league.

The league is composed of Xenia, Greenville, Miamisburg, Troy, Piqua and Sidney High Schools.

Xenia has arranged a thirteen-game chart including four league games; Greenville, thirteen games including five league contests; Miamisburg, sixteen games including four league games; Troy, thirteen contests, including six league affairs; Piqua, seventeen games of which six are league contests, and Sidney only eight games, three of which are league contests.

Court schedules of the six schools follow:

GREENVILLE 13 GAMES

Greenville 13 Games

Dec. 11 W. D. Preps

17 Bradford

23 Roosevelt

Jan. 1 Eaton

7 Xenia Central

8 Covington

14 Miamisburg

21 Tipp. City

23 Piqua

Feb. 4 Sidney

12 Troy

18 Arcanum

24 Celina

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Jan. 7 Greenville

8 Zanesville

14 Osborn

21 Troy

28 Miamisburg

Feb. 4 Eaton

WALKER CREDITS KEARNS FOR TITLE



MICKEY WALKER

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—A fellow can come back so long as he is determined that he's coming back."

That's from Mickey Walker, newly crowned middleweight champion of the world.

Mickey has held two titles for the year of 1926. If he loses this one he will be forced to step a notch higher, as is his custom in taking titles.

There was a time when Walker was touted the best of his class in the welterweight division. He stepped out to the heavier boys while champion and found the going hard, and then after a long layoff, leading a softening life as fighting goes, he lost his welter crown to Lazio through a decision.

"Every time I have stepped into the ring since losing the title to Pete I have been doped to lose. That viewpoint only makes me more determined to win. I had to work hard and fast since last win-

ning. In a speedy preliminary game the East High School Alumni defeated the Xenia Eagles 30 to 28 in an overtime affair. The play was fast and furious and the final whistle found the score even at 28 to 28. In the extra session Brown came through with a pretty basket for the winning points.

Brown and Perrine were brilliant and difficult to stop, each caging seven fielders.

Lineup and summary Xenia-Paris game:

Xenia (31) Pos. Paris (20) McGregor r.f. Elkins Anderson lf. Gardner Shepard c. Martin Embry rg. Richleson Jackson lg. Warne

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8 Cleaning, Pressing, Laundering.

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14 Painting, Papering.

15 Painting, Papering.

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18 Help Wanted—Male.

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24 Dogs—Canaries—Pets.

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CARD OF THANKS

WE WISH TO THANK—Our many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the birth and death of our beloved husband and father, Rev. W. T. Maxwell. Especially do we wish to thank Dr. L. C. Fisher, Dr. J. P. Maxwell, and Dr. John C. Maxwell for their comforting words. Mr. J. C. Johnson for his courteous treatment; First A. M. E. and Zion Baptist Churches and all who in any way scattered sunshine upon our path. Mrs. W. T. Maxwell and children.

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CUT FLOWERS—CHYRANTHEMUMS—And Pompons, all colors.

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1 BIG TYPE—Poland China yearling male hog. Walter L. Nash, Phone 4692-20.

20 GOOD—Dameine ewes, 10 strictly choice lambs; also lambs; also 40 choice lambs; feeding lambs. Call 12-112 Cedarville Exchange.

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HIGHEST MARKET PRICES—Paid for furs. Roy Duerser at Joe King's, rear of O. W. Everhart, 118 E. Main St.

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GET IT AT DONGES

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

30

FURNITURE—Of all kinds. New shoes and rubbers. See us for bargains. Mendenhall, N. King, Phone 736.

WEARING APPAREL, SHOES

31 LEATHER COATS—Sheepskin coats, farm coats and gloves of all kinds. O. W. Everhart, E. Main St., Phone 625.

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32 PEARS—25 cents per bushel. Ring Harbine's farm, 5521-2.

ROOMS FOR RENT, UNFURNISHED

36 SIX ROOM—Modern brick house, bath, furnace, gas and electricity, soft water in house, large cemented cellar. 339 E. Second St.

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HOUSES, FLATS, FURNISHED

37 5 ROOM—House, 20 Charles St., rent reasonable. Phone 205W.

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38 TWO FURNISHED—Apartments, Gas and bath, 302 E. Market St., three blocks from Court House, O. Warner.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT 40

50 ACRE—Farm 1 mile north east of Zimmerman. Inquire of Mrs. Clifftie Sipe of Akron, Ohio.

WANTED TO RENT

41 1 WOULD LIKE—To obtain a room in a private family where I could also take my meals. Can furnish references. Address S. M. care Gazette.

WANTED—Three rooms, unfurnished. Phone 4088-21.

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42 FOR—Immediate sale the Highgate home, 113 High St., six room frame with modern conveniences. Priced to sell. See Green and Harness & Bales, Allen Building.

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43 101 ACRES—Warren County, \$1,000 down. John Harbine, Allen Building.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON FARMS, at five per cent interest. Write W. L. Clemens, Cedarville, Ohio.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

44 CHATTEL LOANS—Notes bought. 2nd mortgages. John Harbine, Allen Building.

PARTS, SERVICE, REPAIRING

51 GEORGE HOLSTEIN—Auto wrecks, parts for all cars. S. Collier St., phone 3378-2.

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54 FORDSON—Tractor and belting. 1924 model. Good running order. John Harbine, Jr., Allen Building. Telephone.

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1922 Ford roadster, \$17.00.

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WHAT! NO ARRESTS?

THIS IS PECULIAR

Police Chief M. E. Graham is not certain whether he is awake or just dreaming.

Strange to relate, not a single call was received at Police Headquarters over the week-end, no cases of liquor law violations were reported, and outside of one speeder, no arrests were made.

This is the longest period of inactivity shown by law violators for many weeks and perhaps all year.

Chief Graham does not know what to make of it. "Possibly the approaching holiday season has something to do with it," he ventures. Working on this theory, police are concentrating their forces to check the annual tide of liquor flowing into the city during the pre-Christmas holidays.

EAST END

Miss Tillie Bell Martin, 42, died at her home, 727 E. Main St., early Tuesday morning from appendicitis.

She was born at Millford, O., January 22, 1883 but had lived in Xenia many years. She was a member of the Quinn Chapel Church at Wilmington.

Surviving is her mother, Mrs. Jenny Martin, Wilmington; four brothers, William, Xenia, Clyde, Wilmington, and Zinnie and Wren, Springfield; and one sister, Mrs. Charlotte Wilson, Wilmington.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with interment in Cherry Grove Cemetery.

DAYTON WOMAN IS HELD ON CHARGE

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Roberta Harris, 29, Dayton, Ohio, was being held here today charged by police with trying to smuggle two morphine capsules to her husband, Tom Harris, 29, Dayton, Ohio, who is under arrest charged with grand larceny. The capsules were discovered in two pieces of pie Mrs. Harris was bringing to her husband.

BRINGING UP FATHER

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Just AMONG US GIRLS

by Kathryn Kenney

"WHAT A PRETTY PICTURE!"

Children don't need to learn to read nowadays as long as they can see everything. We are going back into sign language and the signs are not so good. Why bother to read about a beautiful girl when you can look at her and know that she's a bathing beauty going into a low dive? Everything that is thrown out is caught by the eye. We are getting lazier and lazier; people skip descriptions in books and pull their own commas. But anyone will stop for a picture; a person can even be a picture of health nowadays without coming out in the ads.

In the old days the tinytypes read, but so that he who looks may run! When the headlines go, the heart lines will still show up strong. Love is no longer continued on page five, it's finished in a glance.

Recently in China, a girl was married to a picture; the future will show whether or not it's a time exposure. She can always hire somebody to "take" her picture, though. A lot of men are married to moving pictures who are ahead of them by several reels. When the time comes for release you can "shoot" your own picture. The Chinese girl had the right hunch; wonder if she will

read the tinytypes.

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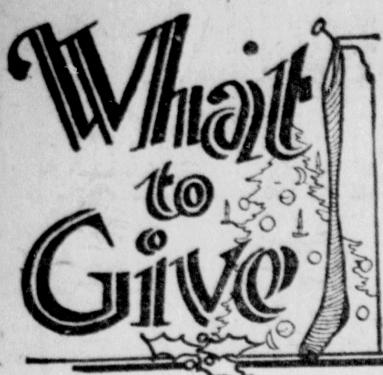
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New Society Leader



Perhaps the person who is the most difficult to give to is one's mother, as she always insists that she doesn't want a thing or else 'just some little thing.'

Too many mothers get practical presents every year. Children ought to pick impractical presents for mother.

Black tulle, which is particularly becoming to the older woman is made up into a scarf for evening with colored lace motifs at either end. In spite of the fact that mother will claim that she cares nothing for lovely underwear try giving her a silk night-gown or slip and see how pleased she will be.

If you want to give her something lasting it is nice to add to her silver every year, preferably her toilet set, as the flat silver is too impersonal. Something which every woman appreciates and which might be a nice gift to put on the tree for mother is a case for the flat silver, hand made, and with separate compartments for different articles.

If you insist on giving mother something for the house, there are flower bowls of hand-spun glass; black felt bridge table covers appliqued in colored felts; table runners of tapestry or brocade or the new half-moon cushions of taffeta. A crystal pendant on a white gold chain, studded with pearls is another gift suggestion, and mother's favorite perfume is most acceptable as well.

More gift suggestions tomorrow.

MOTHER OF XENIAN DIES ON SATURDAY

Mrs. R. A. Chitty, mother of John and Claude Chitty, Bowersville, and Luther Chitty, Xenia, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rose Marchant, Milledgeville, Saturday evening.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. Church, Bowersville, Tuesday at 2 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Golgsby. Interment was made in the cemetery at Bowersville, in the family plot, where Mrs. Chitty's husband is buried.

Mrs. Chitty leaves eight chil-

dren; John and Claude of Bowersville; Luther of Xenia; Kirk of Muncie, Ind.; Frank of Los Angeles; Mrs. Rose Marchant, Milledgeville; Mrs. Mary Zimmerman, Muncie, Ind.; and Mrs. Violet Edwards, Appapalpus, Ga.

Algoma Central, Ontario, while the thermometer stood at thirty-six degrees below zero and three feet of snow covered the ground.

The animal was shot along what is known as Moose Creek and was brought out by dog sled with a deer Dr. Davis also bagged on his trip. He returned to Xenia Thursday after spending seven weeks at Poquette Camp, hunting.

STUDENT FOUND

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—That Edwin Peck, 19, Toledo freshman at Ohio State University, was being held by police at Kansas City was the word reaching here today. Young Peck mysteriously disappeared here November 29.

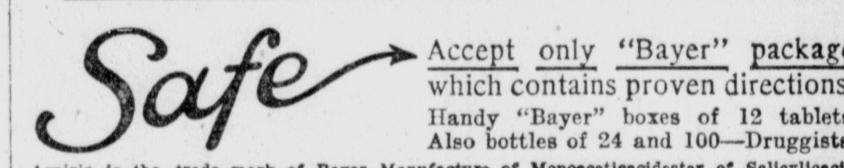


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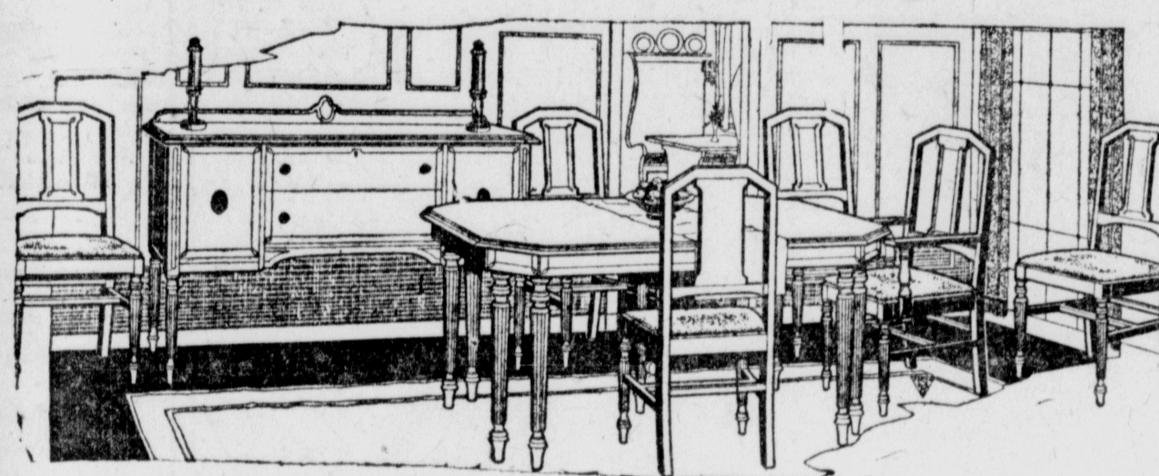
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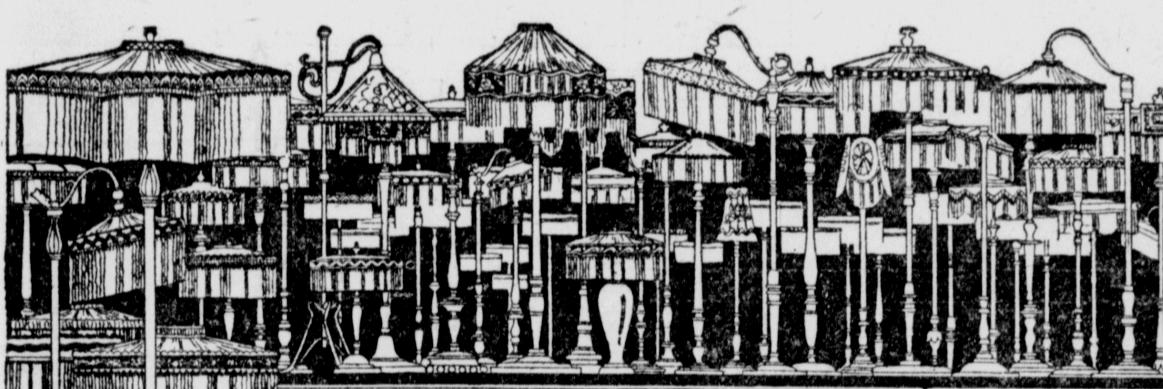


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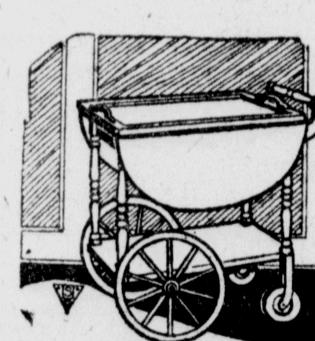
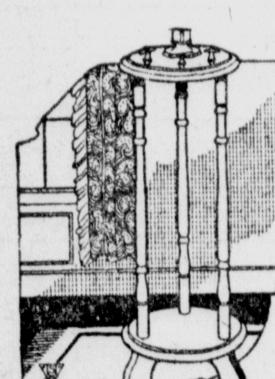
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Lunch on ground.

SUES FELLOW STUDENTS, WINS



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SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 7.—"The play's the thing."

This is the motto Miss Grace Johnson, young University of Utah playwright, is determined to pursue in the future, following a court victory here in her suit for \$700 against the university engineering society.

When the society, which is composed of engineering students, asked Miss Johnson to write a musical comedy for the annual theatrical performance, she was still an adherent to the Shakespearean dictum "The play's the thing."

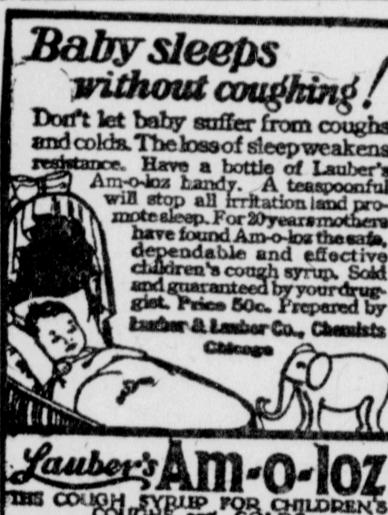
But she began to waver when, after the play had been produced, she received only thanks for her trouble. Finally she filed suit for \$1,200 and the result that she was awarded a verdict.

It was alleged that when the play, "Mary Alice, Esq.," which Miss Johnson wrote, was produced at the Salt Lake theater, for two nights, March 23 and 24, the gross receipts were \$1,758. Attorneys representing the engineering club contended that the intention of the students had been to reward Miss Johnson with a gift but that there

FORMER XENIA GIRL HONORED AT SCHOOL

Miss Pauline Sutton, 16 Yale Ave., Dayton, formerly a resident of Xenia, who is a junior at Ohio Wesleyan University, has been honored by being chosen a member of the "committee of eighty-eight," an organization designed to boost the university in Ohio's eighty-eight counties.

Miss Sutton and Theodore C. Dunham, Dayton, will represent Montgomery County and have been invited to attend a dinner at Delaware, O., Thursday when final organization will be effected.

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—Adv.

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LEDBETTER

School, has been again postponed until further notice, according to an announcement by Scoutmaster R. H. Kingsbury.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. MARY M'CORMICK AT HOME HERE TUESDAY

After an illness of long duration, Mrs. Mary McCormick, 72, widow of Joseph McCormick, passed away at her home on Center St., Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. McCormick had been bedfast ten days, and her death was hastened by an attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. McCormick was born in Cincinnati, her maiden name being Miss Mary Ennis. The family moved to Xenia when she was a small child and she was a resident of Xenia practically all her life.

Mr. McCormick's death occurred about fourteen years ago. Surviving are five children: Leo McCormick, Edward McCormick, Harry and Joseph McCormick, all of

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never had any agreement as to pay.

Miss Johnson, on the stand, told another story. She told them that the society said that they would make it right with her for her services. "I intend to make a business of writing plays," she said, "and I don't want to lose on my first one."

She is going to New York City shortly to continue her career as a playwright.



Weekly meeting of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, scheduled for Tuesday night at Central High

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Xenia and Mrs. William Dunlevy, Dayton. Mrs. McCormick would have reached her seventy-third birthday in March.

She was a member of St. Brigid's Catholic Church and of the Sacred Heart Society. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later.

An attempt was made by the police department to stop "The Terrible Demon" to be staged at City Hall Theater, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, at the dress rehearsal Monday.

The play written and directed by John Thomas Sutton, was presented for pupils of the O. S. and Bryant, Clifton, received a broken

S. O. Home and other Home employees, Monday. When the plot of the piece became too much for several women in the audience, a policeman made a futile attempt to stop the production.

The City Hall Theater outshone Earl Carroll's Bathtub Vanities for a time when John Law stepped in on the scene. Police interference is expected again Tuesday night but the curtain will rise at 8:30 despite protests. People with weak hearts are advised to not patronize the home-talent show, to avoid further complications.

back several weeks ago, when he attempted to lift a heavy load, it

developed in an X-ray examination taken at City Hospital, Springfield, where he was removed Monday. Young Bryant was unloading a truckload of hogs when a vertebra in his back snapped. For a time the injury could not be determined but continued pain caused him to enter the hospital, where he was placed in a plaster cast.

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PENNSY EMPLOYEES HERE WILL BENEFIT

It is estimated that approximately 400 employees of the Cincinnati Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, trainmen, conductors and switchmen, many of whom live in Xenia and Greene County, will share in the wage increase of seven and one-half cents awarded recently by the first board of arbitration to operate under the new Watson-Barker law.

These men reside in Xenia, Dayton, Springfield, Lancaster, Zanesville and Columbus. Five hundred others subject to the same increase live in Cincinnati.

A total of 27,000 Pennsylvania Railroad employees will receive the wage increase, which will total \$4,000,000 yearly, it is being announced from Cincinnati headquarters.

Xenia railroad officials have not been officially advised of the pending increase in wages, it was stated Monday.

ANTIOCH BENEFITS FROM CARNEGIE GIFT

Photos, prints, textiles and old books are being received by Antioch College at Yellow Springs "piece-meal" from the Andrew Carnegie foundation, it is disclosed Monday.

Officials of the organization say that Antioch is one of twenty colleges to which art collections valued at \$5,000 are being sent.

College officials announce the school has already been sent a library of several hundred books, pictures, original prints, etchings, and wood cuts dating back as far as the sixteenth century down to modern times.

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READ THIS FIRST:
HONEY LOU HUNTELEY is private secretary to old GRUMPY WALLACK, head of the Wallack Fabric Mills. Honey Lou likes everyone at the mills except JOE MEADOWS, the shipping clerk, who makes love to her against her will.

JACK WALLACK, who comes to his father's mills to learn the business, falls in love with Honey Lou the minute he sees her. Brought up by an old-fashioned mother, Honey Lou is a mixture of flapper and clinging vine.

ANGELA ALLEN pretends to be a friend of Honey Lou and tells her not to take Jack seriously. Jack is jealous of DR. STEVE MAYHEW, a friend of MARGRET, Honey Lou's sister.

Honey Lou goes to work with Margaret in the office of Holy Cross hospital. One day she goes to tea with the wily Angela and meets Jack's mother, whom Jack calls THE HEAD, because she manages everything at home. She tells Honey Lou that Grumpy is not satisfied with his new secretary, ANN LUDLOW, the office vamp. Jack asks Honey Lou to work for his father, who is at home sick with lumbago, and Honey Lou promises that she will.

Honey Lou meets Angela, who tells her that Jack Wallack is taking her out to dance that evening. Honey Lou calls up TIM DONEGAL, determined to have him take her to the same place.

Honey Lou goes with Tim to the restaurant and has been drinking. The place is raided by dry agents and Honey Lou escapes with Jack Wallack. Jack tells Honey Lou that he thought she was tricking him and ends by telling her that he loves her and wants her to marry him.

Honey Lou tells her mother that she is to marry Jack Wallack the next day, but her mother asks her to wait and have a wedding. Honey Lou's engagement is announced and plans are made for the wedding.

She meets Angela downtown and she persuades her to open a charge account under the name of Mrs. Jack Wallack, Jr., and to put the shoes she is buying, along with some lingerie, on the account. But at home with Margaret, who sees through Angela, she decides to take back the lingerie and Margaret pays for the shoes for a wedding gift.

Jack and Honey Lou have a quiet home wedding and spend their honeymoon camping at Lake Tamay. In the meantime, Steve visits the flat and breaks under the realization that Honey Lou is lost to him now.

Jack and Honey Lou return from their honeymoon and stay with the Wallacks while looking for a flat for themselves. Honey Lou tells Angela that they are anxious to start housekeeping.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER XXXII.

It was on the next Sunday morning that Honey Lou and Jack found the flat they had been looking for.

It was on Duclimer street, just back of the Wallacks' old-fashioned house on Summit street.

There were seven rooms in it, and every one of them was large and light.

"It's almost too good to be true!" Honey Lou declared, as she went from one room to the other, chattering like a sparrow.

There were built-in bookcases with leaded glass doors, and a built-in sideboard, and a brand new stove and ice box, and a tiny back porch that overlooked the Wallack's wide green backyard. And the rent for it was only \$55 a month, because it was on the top floor.

"We don't deserve such luck—house-hunting on Sunday when we ought to be sitting in church with your father and mother," said Honey Lou when they started away from it.

"Maybe you won't think you're so lucky when you have to climb

FOOTING UP THE FIGURES



By AMY ABBOTT

Some of the new developments in foot and leg wear are pictured above. The new hip-length stockings are, of course, a result of

The boa shoe fad (see top) had

short skirts. Possibly next year women will be wearing full-length tights.

The boa shoe fad (see top) had

three flights of stairs every day,"

Jack answered her. He caught her around the waist and held her close to him as they started down the first flight.

"We've found a place at last!" Honey Lou broke the news to "Grumpy" and The Head at Sunday dinner, an hour later. "The spaziest little flat you ever poked your nose into!"

Honey Lou went back across the room with a heavy heart.

"Are you going to let me go shopping for your new furniture tomorrow morning?" Angela called to her, just as she was squeezing through the gap in the hedge.

Honey Lou nodded. "I'll meet you at Sabine's at twelve o'clock," she called back. "I've got a couple of errands to do in the morning."

The next morning Honey Lou slept late. It was becoming a habit with her now that she no longer owned a job and an alarm clock.

She yawned and stretched and closed her eyes again. Then all of a sudden she remembered something—and she jumped out of bed.

There was a window at the end of the hallway that overlooked the backyard of the house. And from it, through the yellowing trees, Honey Lou could see the kitchen window of the little flat on Duclimer street.

She waved her hand at it as if it were her friend, before she turned away and went back to her bedroom.

"There's my home, sweet home!" she said to herself. She could hardly wait until she reached the downtown stores and began to pick out the things to put into it—the rugs and the chairs and the beds and the thousand-and-one things that make a home.

She rang the bell for Clara, the cook, to carry away the plates.

Honey Lou shook her head. She felt a hot blush sweep over her neck and face, and she did not know why she was blushing—because she never had said anything of the sort to anybody!

"Who told you that Mrs. Wallack?" she asked. She had never been able to call Jack's mother anything but "Mrs. Wallack," sometimes or other. "The get close to her," she said, "and that's the truth."

Honey Lou opened the door of her father-in-law's private office. Margaret sat there at his desk.

"Well, Angela said you had told her something of the sort," The Head answered, wiping her unsmiling mouth with a corner of her napkin.

Again Honey Lou shook her cropped and shining head. "I didn't," she declared, passionately. "And that's the truth!"

But the Head only smiled in an unbelieving kind of way.

When the meal came to its end, Honey Lou went straight out of the house and across the lawn to the garden in the hedge.

Angela herself, opened the door of the big stone house next door.

"Hello, Clara," she said, and her voice fairly dripped with sweetly.

"Come in, do!"

But Honey Lou did not move from the spot where she was.

"No, I'm going for a drive with Jack," she answered gravely. "I just want to ask you something, that's all. Angela, did you tell Jack's mother that I couldn't wait to get away from their house? She says you did."

"Gone to the doctor," about his lumbago. "He'll be back soon," Margaret answered. "He says you've rented a flat."

"Where's 'Grumpy'?" she asked.

"Gone to the doctor," about his lumbago. "He'll be back soon," Margaret answered. "He says you've

rented a flat."

"I certainly did not, Honey Lou," she said in her lovely voice.

Angela nodded. "Positively," she declared. "All I said was that you were awfully anxious to start housekeeping, just as any bride would be! I said that this morning, on the way home from church."

She looked like the very soul of truth in human form, as she stood there. Her eyes shone with frankness, and her face had that clear spiritual look that blinds very often have.

Honey Lou believed her.

"But I wish you hadn't said even that much. Anzela," she said un-

its origin in London, where women are tired of making their feet unattractive in winter with galoshes. Below this shoe (center) is a new creation for formal evening wear, and below that, an afternoon model.

CAESAR CREEK HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The basket-ball season will open Friday, December 10, at home, with the Cedarville High School teams. Haines, of Dayton, will referee the games if he is obtainable. The following is the schedule for the Caesarcreek teams for 1926-27.

Dec. 10th, Cedarville at Caesarcreek.

Dec. 17th, Bellbrook at Caesarcreek.

Jan. 7th, Spring Valley at Caesarcreek.

Jan. 14th, Caesarcreek at Bowersville.

Jan. 21st, Caesarcreek at Bellbrook.

Jan. 28th, Bowersville at Caesarcreek.

Feb. 4th, Caesarcreek at O. S. and S. O. Home.

Feb. 11th, Beaver Creek at Caesarcreek.

Feb. 18th, Caesarcreek at Spring Valley.

Students placed on the Honor Roll for the month of November, were:

Seniors—Forrest Ellis, Mildred Carle, Donald St. John, Robert St. John, Althea Conklin, Grace Liming and Wilma Peterson.

Juniors—Elmer Colvin, Lucille Faulkner, Zora Jones and Rowena McKay.

Sophomores—Thelma Carle, Irene Peterson, Virginia St. John, and Mary Wilson.

Freshmen—Howard Bates and Helen Carle.

It is announced officially that the grade cards for the high school students will be given out every Wednesday evening following

close of the school month. No departure will be made from this date so the parents of pupils will know when the grade cards are to sent to them for their inspection.

The play, "A Little Clodhopper" will be given again Tuesday night at Bowersville. Caesarcreek's share of the receipts was \$19.11. This money will be used to purchase classics for the English classes. As \$24.27 was also raised from the play when it was given at the Opera House. This will also be used for classics and magazines for the school. The play was coached by Miss Ruth Chitty.

A schedule has been made out for the Healthmobile, representing the American Red Cross, to make the schools in the county during the week of Dec. 6th to 10th.

Wednesday, December 8th, 1:30 p.m. is the time scheduled for the Healthmobile for the Caesarcreek schools. The program lasts about one hour and consists of pictures

and lectures. Everybody in the community is invited to be present. No admission will be charged as no expense is attached to the program. The grade teachers are asked to excuse all pupils that will attend the program and if possible be present themselves.

When the program is over, the pupils may return to their separate schools, so very little time will be lost.



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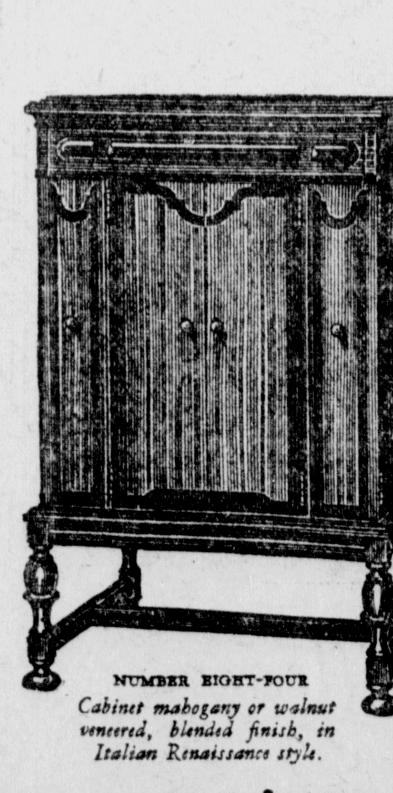
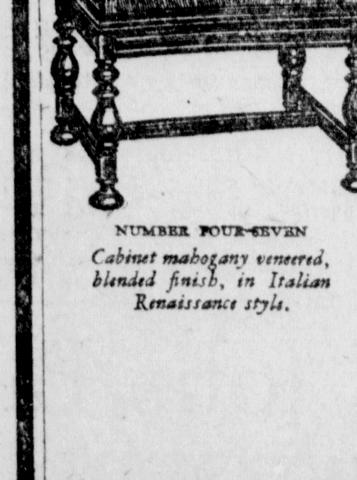
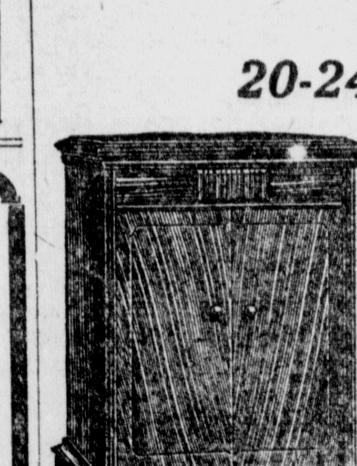
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WEATHER—Rain, not so cold Tuesday; Wednesday cloudy and colder

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COOLIDGE AGAINST LEGISLATION CONGRESS OPENING FLOODED WITH BILLS

PROHIBITION, TAX REDUCTION, RADIO FARM RELIEF URGED

These Problems Draw Attention From "Lame Ducks"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The country is thinking about prohibition, tax reduction, radio and farm relief—if the shower of bills thrown into congress on its opening may be taken to show the trend of public thought.

Members, fresh from contact with home influences, literally engulfed the dying session of the 69th congress today with bills and resolutions bearing on this quartet of problems.

Many members of congress are determined to abolish the nuisance taxes growing out of the World war. A half dozen bills dealing with the remaining "war taxes" have been introduced.

The advice of President Coolidge and the program of Democratic leaders both have been disregarded as individual members have written their own ideas into tax bills.

The early rush to present tax-reduction measures forecasts a determined effort to alter some schedules of last year's tax law, although Republican leaders already have turned thumbs down on the suggestion.

Cotton is entering into the farm-relief fight with new force, it is indicated in the new bills. One bill by Representative Langford (D) of Georgia has proposed a cotton corporation, with the government providing \$500,000,000 capital stock.

The revised McNary-Haugen bill of the farm bloc is scheduled to be started on its uncertain journey tomorrow. There are rumblings of a farm bloc demand for a special session of congress if relief efforts fail.

Prohibition registered an emphatic note in the bills of the short session. The proposal of Representative Gallivan (D), of Massachusetts, for referendums in every state at the next election is one of many bills introduced or in preparation.

Resolutions to provide a temporary cure for alleged chaotic conditions in radio broadcasting by prohibiting further licensing until permanent legislation is passed reflected the wide interest among members of congress in this subject.

More than 12,000 bills now await action on the congressional calendars. Hundreds of new bills are expected to be introduced by the end of the week.

TRACK OWNERS LOSE IN SUPREME COURT

COLUMBUS, Dec. 7.—By a tie vote, 3 to 3, the state supreme court it was announced today, overruled a motion to dissolve the temporary injunction issued some months ago by the supreme court prohibiting betting at the race track operated near Cleveland by the Thistledown Company. One judge did not vote.

By the same vote, the court rejected a motion to dismiss the suit instituted by Attorney General C. C. Crabbé in which the supreme court is asked to permanently enjoin the Thistledown Company from permitting alleged illegal betting at its race course.

The supreme court, it was announced today, dismissed the appeal of the Realty Holding Co. Inc. from the judgment of the Hamilton County appellate court, which temporarily enjoined the company and the Queen City Driving Club from permitting betting at the Coney Island race track, near Cincinnati.

NAMED HEAD OF LIMA HOSPITAL

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—Appointment of Dr. W. H. Vorba as superintendent of the Lima state hospital was announced today by Dr. John E. Harper, state director of welfare. The appointment is effective immediately.

Vorba, who succeeds the late Superintendent Charles H. Clark, who died recently, has been superintendent for the institution for feeble-minded at Orient since July 15. Vorba formerly was a member of Dr. Clark's staff at the Lima state hospital.

TRIED FOR MURDER

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—Accused of killing Wm. Stavropoulos in a restaurant here, August 5, 1923, Lewis Sims, colored, is on trial in common pleas court here today, under indictment charging first-degree murder.



There were years and years between the times that Fred C. Kelly posed for these two photos, but he's still riding the same hobby. Dogs take up all the spare time of the famed author and philosopher. Xenia, in the nineties, knew the dashing young man at left; it was only a matter of time until most of the world knew him.

CAPTIVES PROVE TO BE CAPTORS AND ARE SAFE WITH RUM VESSEL

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—V. D. Jackson, dry chief for the gulf zone, today notified the state department of the safe arrival in Puerto, Mexico, of the rum runner Arsene J., which broke arrest a week ago and "kidnapped" two prohibition officials aboard.

Assistant Administrator J. B. Matthews and Coast Guardsman Handley are safe, and, apparently, have been in control of the runner since she eluded her captors off Southwest Pass. Matthews wired

that the schooner was turned over to custom officials in Puerto, Mexico.

Matthew's cablegram read: "Arrived here Monday at 10 a.m. with Arsene J. and crew, Handley with me. Customs officer has schooner in charge. Crew of schooner under arrest. Cable instructions care Acting American Consul J. Starks."

Jackson said he would ask the advice of the state department regarding whether the Arsene J. would be brought back to this port.

COMITS SUICIDE

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Wm. H. Payne, an American with a residence on the Champs de Elysees, today committed suicide after killing his wife and housekeeper.

"Prettiest Lips"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Sustaining a second operation on his infected arm, E. L. Doheny, millionaire oil operator, was unable to appear in court this morning, where he is to stand trial for conspiracy with former Secretary of the Interior A. B. Fall. His physician, Dr. Gerry Morgan, ordered him to remain in bed.

FROZEN CREDIT IS CAUSE OF FAILURES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—"Frozen credit" in the Middle West farm belt, which is blamed for a score of recent bank failures in Iowa, is showing every indication of spreading and, unless the situation is corrected, it will become serious. President Coolidge was informed today by Allen Moore, Republican national committeeman from Illinois, who called at the White House and talked farm relief with the executive. Moore informed President Coolidge there is no let-up in the grain belt's demand for relief legislation.

TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIGHT PROJECTED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—A non-stop Paris-to-New York flight will be attempted early in the new year by a French pilot flying a 420-horsepower Bernard Fereois monoplane, the department of commerce was advised today by Trade Commissioner H. H. Kelly, at Paris.

The plane will have a speed of 125 miles an hour, Kelly's message stated. The name of the pilot and the backers of the flight were not mentioned.

DENTISTS TO MEET

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—About 700 dentists from all parts of Ohio are expected to attend the sixty-first annual convention of the Ohio Dental Society, which opened here today at the Neil House. The convention will last three days.



Prettiest lips in Austria belong to Rita Georg, Vienna actress, judges decided.

SEAT TEN FOR M'DERMOTT JURY

THINK PEREMPTORY CHALLENGES WILL EMPTY PANEL AGAIN

ACCUSED MAN RETAINS DEBONAIR MANNER ON SECOND DAY

COURT HOUSE, Canton, O., Dec. 7.—Prospect of drawing a new panel of prospective jurors that will be eventually called upon to set the fate of Pat McDermott for the murder of Don R. Mellett, publisher, faced today's session of the court.

Although ten jurors had been tentatively selected and another was expected to be selected this morning from the remaining twenty-eight members of the original panel of sixty-two, it was expected that when the state and defense began to use their peremptory challenges, the entire remaining list would be lost.

The accused man, who was sought by police and private detectives throughout the land for three months before being "turned up" by his family near Nanty glo, Pa., sat throughout the tedious jury selecting task, thoroughly composed and with the grace of a debonair young attorney.

A quizzical smile when this prospective juror declared that he believed in capital punishment and an indifferent, bored look when that one was released from duty because he was prejudiced against bootleggers. That was Pat McDermott today.

The jurors tentatively seated this morning were:

Miss Clara Bauld, Massillon; Harry W. Williams, Alliance, draftsman; John H. Ringer, Canton sales man; Hattie Oakleaf, Navarre; Ida Young, Norman, Biery, farmer; C. W. Ream, apartment house manager, Canton; Donald Auld, Canton machinist; Mrs. G. E. Kramer, Massillon; Mrs. Annie Winfull, North Canton.

Harry George, Canton salesman, tentatively seated in the jury box late yesterday, was excused by Judge E. W. Diehl when he announced he was a relative of one of the defense attorneys' law partners.

SENATOR M'KINLEY BELIEVED DYING

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 7.—The death of Senator Wm. B. McKinley, of Illinois, is only a matter of hours. It was stated at the Homeland sanitarium today. The stricken solon has been a patient here since early in August. Relatives from Champaign, Ills., are at the bedside.

EDWARD W. BROWNING

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POLICEMAN AND TWO LABORERS KILLED IN LABOR CAMP BATTLE

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—A police officer and two Mexican laborers were shot to death in a pitched battle in a labor camp of the Chicago Northwestern near Melrose Park early today. Another police officer and several Mexicans were wounded.

The trouble started when Melrose Park police received word that a woman was being attacked in the labor camp. Officers J. L. Stahl and Charles Kolwitz answered the call. As they approached the camp they were fired upon by the Mexicans.

Stahl fell mortally wounded. Kolwitz killed two of the laborers.

LEGISLATION

URGES CONGRESS NOT TO EXPERIMENT WITH NEW THEORIES DURING TERM

President Declares Nation Is Peaceful And Prosperous—No Time For Tax Reduction—Touches All Subjects

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The nation is peaceful and prosperous and what it needs most is not new legislation nor experimentation with untried theories but rather "a steady continuation of those which are already being crowned with such abundant success."

This was President Coolidge's reassuring message today to the dying session of the 69th congress.

It was a plea to congress not to rock the boat in the twelve weeks it has to live but to proceed methodically about the business of making minor adjustments to the governmental machinery here and there.

The message was the longest Mr. Coolidge ever has delivered to congress, despite its lack of outside feature. He discussed every phase of governmental activity and pronounced conditions in the main to be excellent. It was so long he did not attempt to deliver it in person but left it to the reading clerks in both houses.

His chief observations and recommendations were:

TAXATION: This is no time to attempt general tax reduction. Through strict economy, the treas-

PAT McDERMOTT AS HIS TRIAL STARTS



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Pat McDermott, accused of the murder last summer of Don Mellett, editor of the Canton News, was in court with a self-satisfied expression on his face as attorney

neys began the grind of seating a jury to try him for murder. This picture shows him as he was being led through a corridor into the court room.

DEMOCRATS ASK INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGED GOULD BRIBERY

Resolution, Unopposed, Expected To Keep Election
Corruption Question Alive Until Presidential Campaign

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Threatening to keep the issue of election corruption alive until the 1928 presidential campaign, Democratic leaders of the senate were prepared today to force immediate action on the Walsh resolution authorizing an investigation of charges that Senator Arthur R. Gould, Republican, of Maine, was involved in a \$100,000 bribery case.

The inquiry will not be opposed by Republican leaders, it was learned, as the resolution does not provide for initiating a contest against the senator.

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Hyman's Great Profit Sharing CHRISTMAS SALE

In order to show our keen appreciation of your patronage during the present year we are radiating the true Christmas spirit by GIVING YOU OUR PROFITS, in this Monster Merchandising Spectacle Unsurpassed in the History of Xenia Retailing, offering you unparalleled money saving opportunities on the entire stock of Hyman's Clothing Store.

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This Great Profit Sacrificing Event will start; everything is in readiness to take care of your wants; the price tags tell the tale, it means a saving of many dollars of your Christmas Shopping money. You just can't afford to miss it.

Store Closed Wednesday, Dec. 8, to Mark Down and Arrange Stock

Men's extra heavy cotton ribbed union suits. Best grade. Regular \$2 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.43**

Men's fine corduroy trousers. Well made. Regular \$4.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$3.45**

Men's pure Silk Scarfs in a great variety of beautiful patterns. A dandy gift. Regular \$2.50 value. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.83**

True Shape Hosiery. Put up two pair in an attractive gift box. A gift that is bound to please. Regular 75c quality. 2 pair in our Xmas Profit Sharing Sale **98c**

Men's and Boys' Bow Tie and Handkerchief Sets. Made in attractive patterns of fine quality silk. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **55c**

Men's fine dress Shirts. Made of fine percales, broadcloth and madras. Neckband or collar attached. Regular \$2.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.65**

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Men's genuine cow hide belts and fancy patterns or plain colors, each in an individual gift box. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **95c**

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Men's Dress Trousers in a wide variety of choice patterns made of fine woolens. Regular \$5.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$3.95**

Boys' All Wool Thermos Brand Sweaters. Made in beautiful color combinations. Just the thing to give to a boy. Regular \$3.75 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$2.85**

Men's Genuine Paris Garters. Wide web. Regular 35c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **23c**

Men's high grade silk and silk and wool hose. Three ply heel and toe. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **48c**

Boys' fine dress caps. Nice patterns. A welcome gift for any boy. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **89c**

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Men's Rayon Silk Hose in plain and fancy patterns. Regular 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **43c**

Men's extra heavy mole-skin trousers. Best for warmth and wear. Regular \$3.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$2.65**

Men's extra fine silk ties made of imported silks. Regular \$1.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.15**

Men's genuine imported English broadcloth scarfs washable. A real bargain. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **85c**

Boys' knee pants, made of fine woolens. Regular \$2.00 and \$2.50 quality. Xmas Sale **1.45**

Men's fine quality extra heavy fleece lined Union Suits. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Sale **\$1.73**

Men's fine Bath Robes in beautiful patterns. A gift any man will appreciate. Regular \$5.00 and \$5.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$4.38**

Men's Fine Dress Gloves of pigskin or cape. All desirable shades. These will make a nice gift. Regular \$3.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$2.68**

Men's heavy corduroy caps with ear tabs. Regular \$1.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **69c**

Men's heavy weight blue denim Overalls, triple stitch. Full cut. Regular \$1.95 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$1.45**

Men's high grade corduroy trousers. Extra heavy weight and well made. Regular \$5 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **\$4.15**

Men's High Grade Outing Flannel Pajamas. Splendid patterns. Well made. An ideal gift. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **95c**

Fine Silk Lisle Hose. Four ply heel and toe. In grey, French Tan and black. Regular 35c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.95**

Men's best quality Genuine Amoskeag Outing Flannel Night Shirt. Full cut. Regular \$1.75 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.43**

Men's fine Kid Dress Gloves. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.78**

Extra heavy weight canvas and Jersey gloves. Regular 20c value. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **11c**

Men's High Grade Cotton Dress Hose in black or brown. Regular 15c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **9c**

Fine Cut Silk Neckwear in a great variety of patterns. Reg. 75c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **45c**

Men's Fine Cotton Ribbed Union Suits. Full size well made. Regular \$1.65 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.23**

Men's Fine Dress Shirts in Madras, Jacquards, Broadcloths and Silk Stripe novelties. Regular \$2.50 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.85**

Men's Dress Caps in good patterns. Well made. Regular \$2.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.59**

Men's High Grade Imported Chamoisette Dress Gloves. Regular \$1.75 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **1.33**

Men's Fine Fur Felt Hats with plain or fancy bands. Roll or snap brims. Regular \$5.00 quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **4.15**

Men's pure wool extra heavy work hose. Fine quality. Regular 65c quality. Xmas Profit Sharing Price **43c**

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Society-Personal-Clubs

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YOUNG MUSICIANS ON MUSIC CLUB PROGRAM

A distinct departure from the regular programs of the Xenia Woman's Music Club, was noted in the recital of young music students of the city, under the direction of Mrs. Alice Ruthrauff, at her home on N. King St., Monday afternoon.

The program was presented entirely by students, who were gathered from the various music instructors of the city, and were all high school students. The number showed unusual talent and the different type of program was highly appreciated by the club members.

The program was as follows: Hungarian March, (piano duet), Berlioz.

Helen and Lois Street Chant d'Amour, (piano solo), Paderewski.

Mary Elizabeth Bryson Thaïs, (violin solo), Massenet.

Charles Karch Gondolieria, (piano solo), Nevin.

Betty Kingsbury Novellette, (piano solo), Schumann.

Emma LaMar Song Without Words (violin solo), Tschakowsky.

Julian Doggett A Winter Lullaby, DeKoven.

When Day Is Gone Margaret Lange.

The Valley of Laughter, Sanderson.

(Vocal Solos)

Dorothy Devos Moment Musical, (piano solo), Schubert.

Frances Marshall Passe-Pied, Gillet.

Romance sans Paroles Goens.

(Cello solos)

Lois Street Widmung, (piano solo), Schuman.

Roy Seffert Adoration, (violin solo), Borowsky.

Dorothy Hamlin Scenes in an Imaginary Ball, II and III, (piano solo), Coleridge-Taylor.

Sara Davidson

XENIANS ENTERTAINED ELABORATELY IN DAYTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Converse entertained last Friday evening at their beautiful home in Dayton View. Three tables of five hundred were in play as the guest diversion. A novel idea was carried out in presenting the score prizes, each couple being awarded a prize, according to the merits of its score cards.

At a late hour, the guests were ushered into the beautifully decorated dining room, where the Christmas season was foretold in glowing bloom of poinsettias.

A delectable two course luncheon was served, with the table favors of dainty baskets for the men and American beauty rosebuds filled with Christmas candles for the women. Place cards bore the names of the following:

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunlap, Wilmington; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spahr, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Flison, Xenia.

DINNER-DANCE FOR SHOW CAST THURSDAY

Ivanhoe Lodge, Knights of Pythias and Triumph Temple, Pythian Sisters, will entertain members of the cast of "The Bandbox Revue" recently presented in Xenia, under auspices of the lodges, at a dinner-dance at the K. of P. Hall, Thursday evening of this week.

Invitations to the cast are not being issued with the exception of this notice. Dinner will be served to only members of the cast, but girl members are permitted to invite a friend for the dance and men members may invite a girl guest. Other outsiders will be charged an admission fee.

XENIAN MARRIED IN INDIANA RECENTLY

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mearick, Wayne Ave., Dayton, are announcing the marriage of their sister, Miss Ruth Creager, to Mr. William Weiss, Lower Bellbrook Pike, Thursday, November 24, at the First Reformed parsonage, Fort Wayne, Ind., the Rev. Mr. Tapp, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Weiss arrived at their home near Xenia, Monday evening, after spending their honeymoon in Indiana.

HALLER-ROGERS NUPTIALS MONDAY

Mr. Herman Haller, this city and Miss Geneva Rogers, Waynesville, O., were married in Waynesville, Monday and have taken up their residence in one of the King properties on E. Second St. this city.

OLD TOWN RUN CLUB

Old Town Run Community Club will meet Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. A good program will be given and each family is asked to bring fruit salad or wafers. The public is invited.

UNION CLUB MEETS

The Union Community Club will hold a covered-dish supper at the school, Friday evening, Dec. 10, at 7 o'clock. Each family is requested to bring a covered dish and sandwiches, also plates and silver.

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SOCIAL LEADERS SHOW WHAT'S WHAT IN WINTER COATS



Got that winter coat yet? These new photos of social leaders, taken in New York, may help you decide. L. to r.: Mrs. Dudley Coats, on Park avenue; Mrs. Oliver Harriman, at United Hunts meet; Miss Katherine V. Brown, on Park avenue; Mrs. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, at United Hunts meet; Mrs. S. S. White, of Philadelphia, sailing for Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schramm, Wilmington, were announcing the birth of a daughter, at the home of Mrs. Schramm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allen W. Third St., this city, Monday morning. Mrs. Schramm was before marriage Miss Almeda Allen.

MR. AND MRS. HAGLER CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hagler opened their country home on the Hock Road, Monday evening, in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

Covers for twenty-five were laid for dinner. The Hagler home was decorated in yellow and white, a large basket of yellow chrysanthemums, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Hagler's children, occupying a place of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagler received a handsome array of gifts from friends, honoring their anniversary. A feature of the occasion was the reading of a reminiscence article, written in gold, by Mrs. Will Brees.

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DEFINING A MILLION DOLLARS

Jackson Barnett is a name which the smart newspaper observers often use to point a moral and adorn a tale. Jackson Barnett fills a place for illustrations, that no one else holds.

Jackson Barnett is an Indian, of the Cherokee nation, who used to work for fifty cents a day and who fulfilled the highest and farthest meaning of the term, "the poor Indian." He could neither read nor write—nor wanted to. A considerable percent of his vocabulary was made up of the word, "Huh."

And then they struck oil on the property which the government had given him, and now Jackson Barnett's wealth is considerably more than a million dollars and his income from royalties is about what a king's ransom used to be in the day's when there were kings and kings were worth ransoming.

And the smart newspaper observers got new illustration out of Jackson Barnett the other day. Barnett was in court in New York to answer to an inquiry as to his competency to handle this money, and he said, in answer to questions, that he didn't know what a million dollars was—how much it was or where it came from; or what it was good for; but he had the idea of having it so he could "eat off of it."

Here said the onlookers, is Ignorance.

Well, it is. And if so, isn't it pretty popular and all-prevailing?

Who else knows what a million dollars is, or where it comes from or what it is good for—who else can, and does translate its value into understandable terms, other than it is good to "eat off of"?

DESERVED COMMENDATION

The load capacity of the American railroads is steadily being increased by installation of improved equipment and other necessary facilities; and they are now handling the greatest volume of traffic in history, without car shortages. It is not by accident that private railroad management has accomplished what political management could not do.

"To have prolonged the period of political control over the railroads, would have meant the continuance of the deadly inefficiency that had disrupted railroad service for two years or more, and would have prevented the adoption of those policies which have been responsible for the present efficiency of railroad operation," says the New York Commercial. "Instead of unprecedented car loadings, industry would now be struggling against car shortages, canceled contracts, frozen loans and languishing trade. Instead of profits here would have been deficits and business failures."

"The country owes a great debt to the experienced and able men who have restored order and efficiency in railroad operation, where chaos and disorder had prevailed. America owes its present prosperity largely to the splendid achievements of the railroads."

LET THE SELLER BEWARE

The federal supreme court has returned an interesting decision which reverses the ancient and now somewhat dis-honorable doctrine of letting the buyer beware.

According to the supreme court, the seller should beware. This applies to the sale of automobiles where a partial payment has been made and there is a chance that the vehicle might stray from the paths of virtue into the sinful highway of liquor transportation.

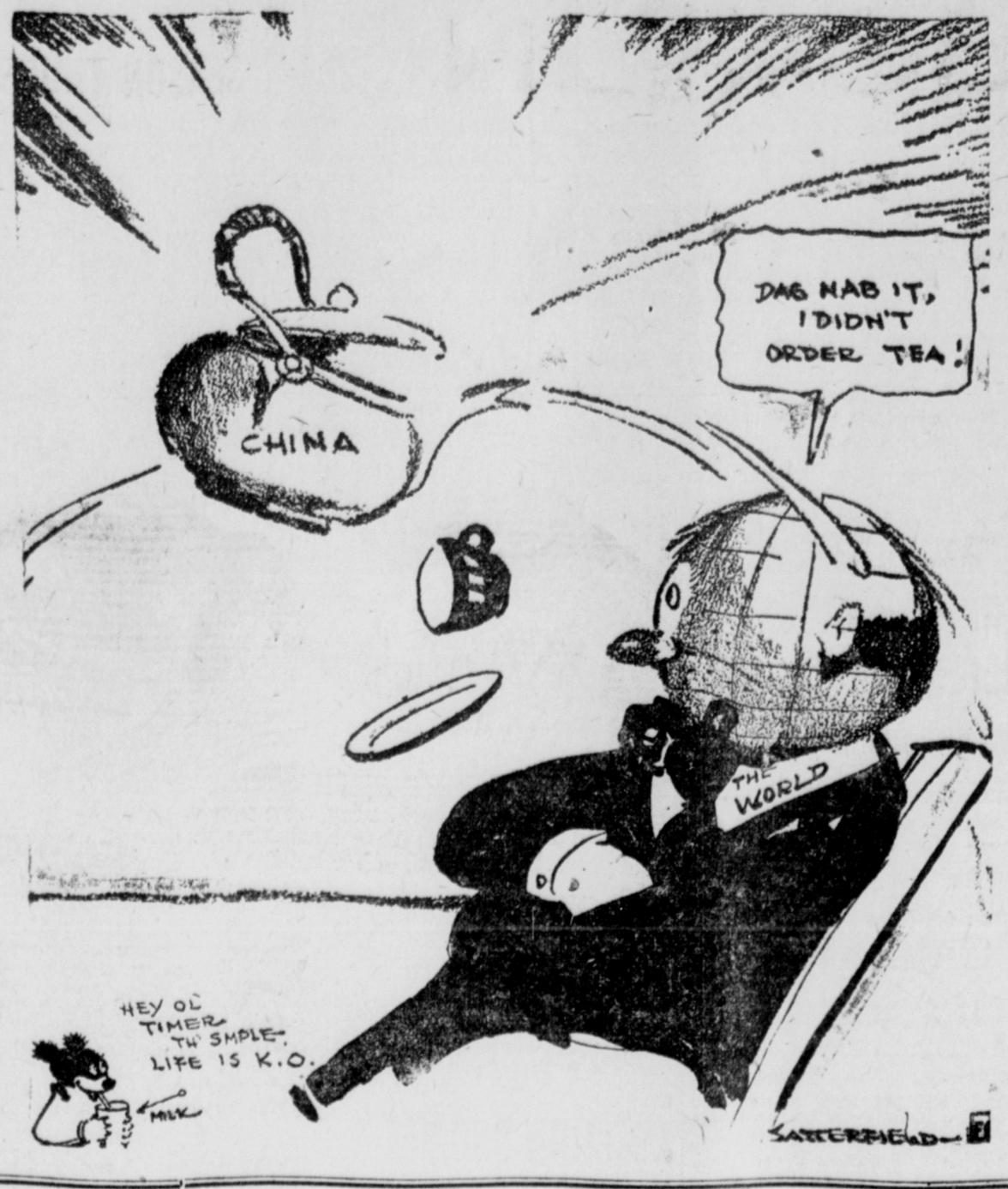
The seller takes the risk. If the car on which he has money due him happens to be confiscated for illegal transportation and the proofs are established, the confiscation holds. This at any rate, seems to be the ruling as the news dispatches report it.

Good credit, therefore, contemplates good morals, also. Business adds to its perplexities the question, "Where is my wandering car tonight?"

GIRLIETTES



Red Hot



The Theatre

Bare of actors but looking as though ready for a drama to unfold, doll-like stages give form to the dreams of the Broadway scenery designer.

In a cubby-hole within a large scenic studio, Watson Barratt, art director plans in miniature each setting for the production of the Shuberts, ranging from one-scene dramas to musical shows from thirty to forty changes. The tiny stages are from two to three feet square. Behind the footlights of the theater the scenes are magnified twenty-four times, often to become resplendent spectacles. A scale in which one-half inch represents a foot is followed exactly in every miniature molded.

Each scene has a separate stage—the whole model being made of cardboard. Everything—furniture, coloring, lighting effect, is just as it will appear on the real stage. Chairs, tables, beds and other furniture required in the actual stage setting are made in miniature and arranged as a pattern for the production itself. Scenery designed from beginning to finish is an art. The designer first visualizes the scenery after reading the manuscript of the play. Then he sketches each scene as he visualized it. The sketches are colored and when finished resemble an architect's pic-

ture of some future edifice. * * * * * The models are next. Reproduced from the sketches, they are painted and so arranged that with an electric light the designer can see how the stage will look to the audience, even to the lighting effect. The curtains usually are made from sketches alone. Paint, sprayed and daubed on the plain material, produces the desired effect. The painters stand on a bridge and the huge frames of canvas that are to become "drops" forty to fifty feet high are raised and lowered while they work. * * * * *

Novel scenery was designed by Barratt for "A Pearl of Great Price." Impressionistic rather than realistic ideas were carried out. "We have tried not to show any definite period," Barratt said, "but to express moods. Scenery hitherto has been purely realistic, even in the morality plays. In this play, we have sought to reflect the mind of a girl as she goes through different experiences. For instance, when her mind is troubled, the furniture is tilted and the doors and windows oblique. The scenery is askew."

Mrs. Putnam is a firm believer in the idea that Little Theater groups, such as hers, can do much for their communities in the way of presenting plays which would not otherwise be seen outside the larger cities.

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Grid Fans Will Honor School Team At Banquet

CENTRAL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION WILL GIVE ANNUAL PARTY

Coach Kolb Hopes To Interest More Boys In Fall Sport

Laying educational and business pursuits on the shelf for the time being, students of Central High School and Xenia merchants will unite in doing honor to the school's winning football eleven at the annual banquet and football party sponsored by the high school athletic association Wednesday night at 6 o'clock in the school cafeteria.

Besides paying an ovation to the grid squad, the banquet will serve the purpose of arousing interest in football at the high school and bringing business men of the city in closer touch with scholastic athletic activities.

Coach Vic Kolb is eager to instill football enthusiasm in the minds of students and hopes that greater interest will be displayed in the pastime by the student body next year. Far too few students each year are desirous of being candidates for the team and this fact handicaps the school each year.

Coach Kolb wants more prospective players from which to make his selections, in other words a bigger grid squad, for the eleven players who composed the winning football team this year were selected from only eighteen candidates.

Then too, business men of the city are particularly urged to be present at the party.

Wednesday's banquet will serve to cement friendships and is termed a "get-together" affair.

Central's 1927 football captain will be announced at the banquet when the result of a secret election held by the letter men some time ago will be disclosed.

Miniature gold footballs to be presented the seventeen letter men, including the senior class football manager, obtained from funds raised in a collection taken at the recent Kiwanis-Rotary banquet honoring the squad, have been ordered and may arrive in time for presentation Wednesday night.

A short and attractive program has been arranged. Henry Flynn will act as toastmaster. Short talks will be given by Fred Shultz, George Geyer and other fans, in addition to the captain of the 1926 Washington C. H. High School football eleven.

The Washington C. H. captain, the coach and school principal were invited to attend the affair in order to entrench a warm feeling of friendly athletic relationship between the two schools—traditional rivals in football as well as basketball.

OHIO CONFERENCE OPPOSED TO SHIFT

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—Athletic directors of the Ohio football conference today are on record as opposing the so-called "shift."

The agreement to ban the "shift" from conference football games was reached at the meeting here Monday, when the schedule of games for the 1927 season was agreed upon. Due to strong opposition, a proposed rule abolishing the point-after-touchdown was tabled.

CENTRAL HIGH COURT SCHEDULE INCLUDES FOUR LEAGUE GAMES

Basketball schedules for 1926-27 arranged by the six schools comprising the newly formed Miami Valley League of High School Athletics, are being announced by Spencer Shank, principal of Central High School, and secretary of the league.

The league is composed of Xenia, Greenville, Miamisburg, Troy, Piqua and Sidney High Schools.

Xenia has arranged a thirteen-game chart including four league games; Greenville, thirteen games including five league contests; Miamisburg, sixteen games including four league games; Troy, thirteen contests, including six league affairs; Piqua, seventeen games of which six are league contests, and Sidney only eight games, three of which are league contests.

Court schedules of the six schools follow:

GREENVILLE 13 GAMES

Greenville 13 Games

Dec. 11 U. D. Preps There

17 Bradford Home

23 Roosevelt There

Jan. 1 Eaton There

7 Xenia Central Home

8 Covington There

14 Miamisburg Home

21 Tipp. City There

28 Piqua Home

Feb. 4 Sidney There

12 Troy There

18 Arcanum Home

24 Celina Home

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Dec. 10 Bradford Home

17 Tipp. City There

18 Bethel Home

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14 Piqua Home

21 Xenia Central Home

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28 Fairmont Home

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Dec. 11 Wilmington Home

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WALKER CREDITS KEARNS FOR TITLE



BOWLING

Showing a miraculous return to form after dropping the first game, Criterions won two out of three games from the Candy Kits in a Xenia Bowling League match Monday night. Highley rolled well for the winners with Pesavento high for the Candy Kits. Box score:

Criterions: 175 183 191

Gannon 139 214 193

Highley 168 182 184

Total 584 792 761

Candy Kits: 166 160 193

Whittington 154 181 160

Barnett 140 148 172

Pesavento 192 173 161

Totals 652 662 672

9:00—concert by College of Music Quintet. WKRC:

10:00 p. m.—Roehr's Hotel Alms orchestra.

11:00—Peter Mincowsky and Eddie Schoewer, Missouri and Florida Kinney.

SPORT SCRIBE SAYS PROFESSIONAL GRID TEAMS ARE THROUGH

Professional football is literally going down for the third time and whereas all other sports are being turned into gold, the grid game is essentially the one unchangeable amateur game.

When 16,000 people gather to witness an amateur exhibition by the Army and Navy and thousands more are turned away, while the famous Red Grange, the Galloping Ghost of the gridiron, and his professionals are playing before a patry 4,000 people, it is at once comprehended that professional football will never replace the amateur game. It lacks that emotional appeal that traditional rivalry that is associated with college games.

Leading writers who have studied the question say the remunerative game of football is doomed, it cannot succeed and that the interest aroused by Grange's entrance into professional ranks the past season, is only a passing interest.

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As is well known, frog legs are a much sought delicacy. Restaurants are Hendrich's market.

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"Profits from professional football have dwindled while the gate receipts of intercollegiate football increased to unprecedented proportions. In one city while Red Grange and two professional teams performed to four thousand, two college teams played to forty thousand.

"The game somehow cannot be disassociated from the colleges. It is essentially amateur just as baseball is essentially professional. It is an inspirational game, and it cannot be played professionally.

"The promoters have considered various steps to induce the players to take more interest in the game. There might be a system of bonuses for touchdowns and field goals, but that would lead to disastrous results. It would make the game seem more ridiculously commercial if the backs were paid so much per yard for the yardage gained. Then there would be no way of making just pay for good line work."

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Summing up, the Elks Magazine article says: "Intercollegiate football will remain intercollegiate and entirely amateur. It is essentially that and all of the promoters in the world cannot make it otherwise. The box offices will get everything else, but football will remain in a class by itself."

"In the long run, Red Grange would have made himself a more substantial future if he had become a bond salesman."

Defends Son

Though she is 105, Mrs. Emma McMahon, Kansas City, Mo., still earns her own living. She works in clothing shop.

"Grandma" McMahon

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7.—

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ON THE AIR FROM CINCINNATI

Station WLW:

7:00 p. m.—piano request.

7:30—Uncle Jack and barnyard family.

7:50—talk on meat-curing methods.

8:00—Castle Farm dance.

8:30—"The Gay Nineties" and short drama.

9:00—concert orchestra.

Station WSAI:

7:00 p. m.—WSAI string quartet.

8:00 p. m.—Folk songs of Norway, from New York.

8:30—male quartet and instrumental trio.

9:00—novelty orchestra and New York Revellers.

10:00—radio auction bridge, New York.

10:30—piano solos by Grace Gaine, tenor solos by Ben Alley.

12:00—Theis' orchestra from Club Chatterbox.

Station WFBE:

7:30 p. m.—Patricia's orchestra.

8:00—Charles Meade, poems.

8:15—Imogene Bennett, soprano.

8:30—Battier's Minstrels.

The Rev. James P. Lytle, pastor of First U. P. Church, is leaving Wednesday for Monmouth, Ill., where his mother is dangerously ill. The Rev. Mr. Lytle does not expect to return before next week. Mrs. J. P. White, editor of the Women's Missionary Magazine, of the U. P. Church will speak at the First Church, Sunday morning.

FINE FOR CHILDREN!

Give them a good start in life with happy smiles and healthy little bodies. Children need a mild corrective occasionally to regulate stomach and bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a safe vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. They tone up and regulate the eliminative tract. Not a nasty cathartic or a habit-forming medicine, but a safe pleasant remedy for constipation, sour stomach, torpid liver, bad breath, and similar disorders. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets overcome those irritable spells that many children are subject to, keep their bodies in active healthy condition, skin clear and eyes bright with the light of perfect health. 15c, 30c and 60c sizes.

Albert Olson (above), father of Erdman Olson, 18, student sought in slaying of Clara Olson, 22, expectant mother, steadfastly proclaims his son's innocence, upholding theory that a third person clubbed the betrayed girl to death. Body was found in shallow grave near Albert Olson farm in Wisconsin.

ALPHA WILL OPEN SEASON THURSDAY



FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Just Among Us Girls

by Kathryn Kenney

"WHAT A PRETTY PICTURE!"

Children don't need to learn to read, but so that he who looks may run! When the headlines go, the heart lines will still show up strong. Love is no longer continued on page five, it's finished in a glance.

Recently in China, a girl was married to a picture; the future will show whether or not it's a time exposure. She can always hire somebody to "take" her picture, though. A lot of men are married to moving pictures who are ahead of them by several reels. When the time comes for release you can "shoot" your own picture. The Chinese girl had the right hunch; wonder if she will

In the old days the tintypes



TABLOID AS YOU TRAVEL

broke into the news; now the skin types are breaking in. This is the age of pictures when you say it with snapshots and the snapper the better. What the eye can't see the mob isn't strong for. You have to show 'em, they may not be from Missouri, but they're a long way from being dumb. Many a beautiful scene from the Pullman window is lost while the missing girl is found. No one would think of having a fashionable murder without having all the best photographers in town present. What's a few refreshments among pals?

Literature is no longer condensed so that he who runs may

frames her husband?

Seeing is believing, which is why so many people are easily fooled. Even life has to be, well advertised nowadays to get any takers. The family album used to make a big evening for those who knew their relatives with mustaches. Now the world has gone picture mad and a face on the front page is worth three on the back porch. People are not satisfied with reading about a murder, they have to kill 'em all over again and take a picture.

The only trouble with the picture age is that so few persons are able to focus!

GAS BUGGIES—Another Gold Mine?



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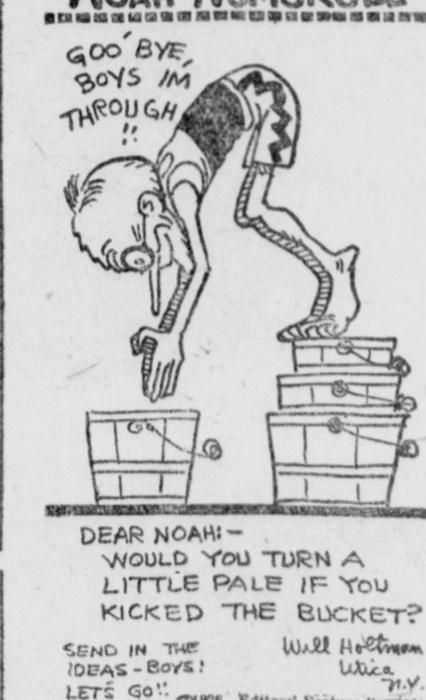


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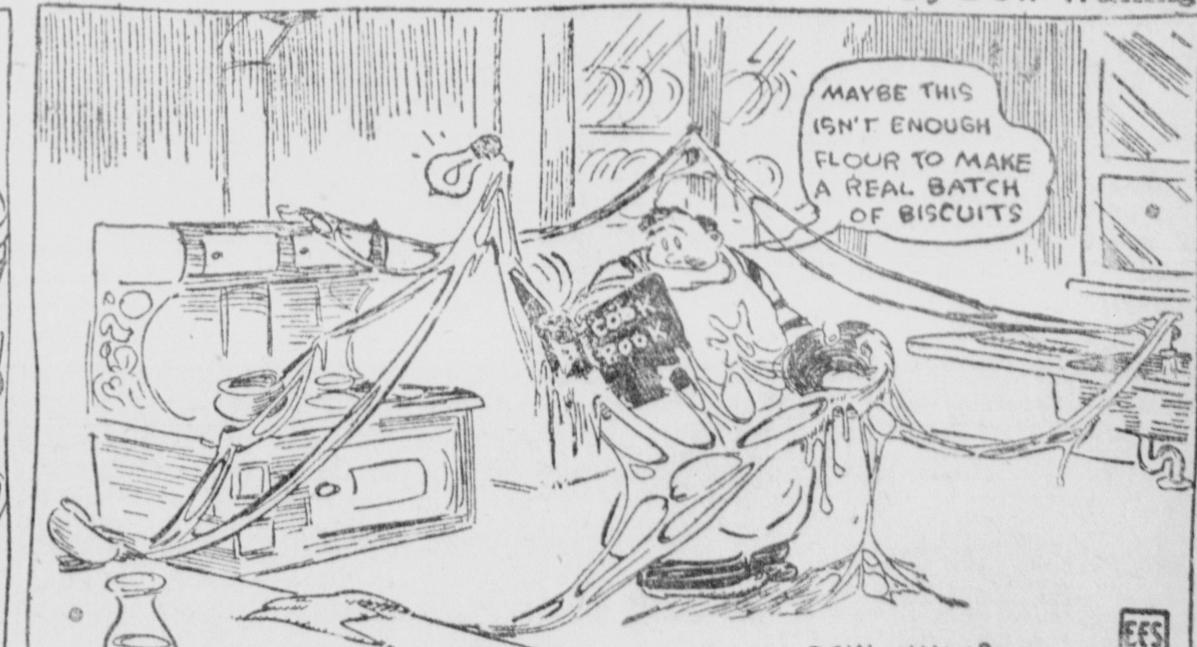
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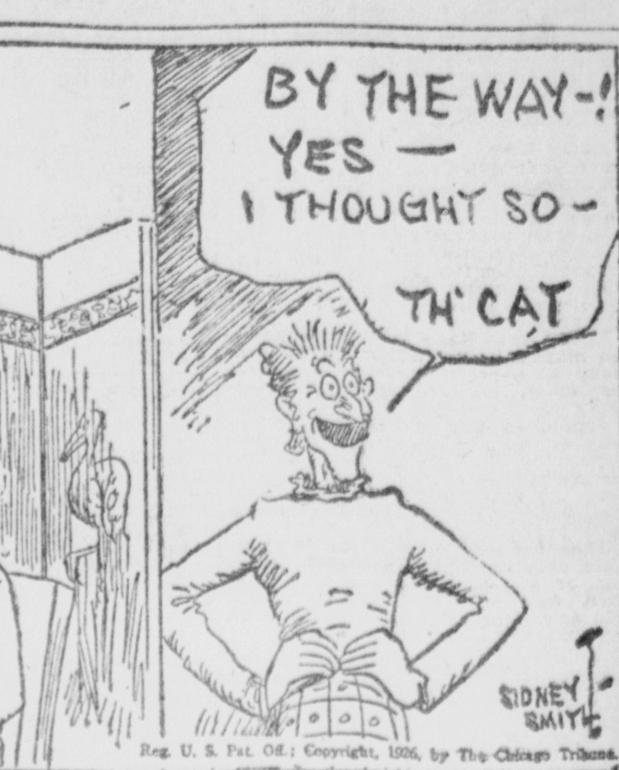


CAMPUS COWBOYS



By Dow Walling

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THE GUMPS—TEA FOR TWO

BY THE WAY—

HOW IS DEAR LITTLE

CHESTER?

AND TELL ME—

WHAT NEWS DO YOU

HEAR FROM UNCLE

BIM?

IS HE COMING

THIS CHRISTMAS?

BY THE WAY—

YES—

I THOUGHT SO—

TH' CAT

SIDNEY SMITH

BY GOSH! I NEVER

THOUGHT OF THAT!

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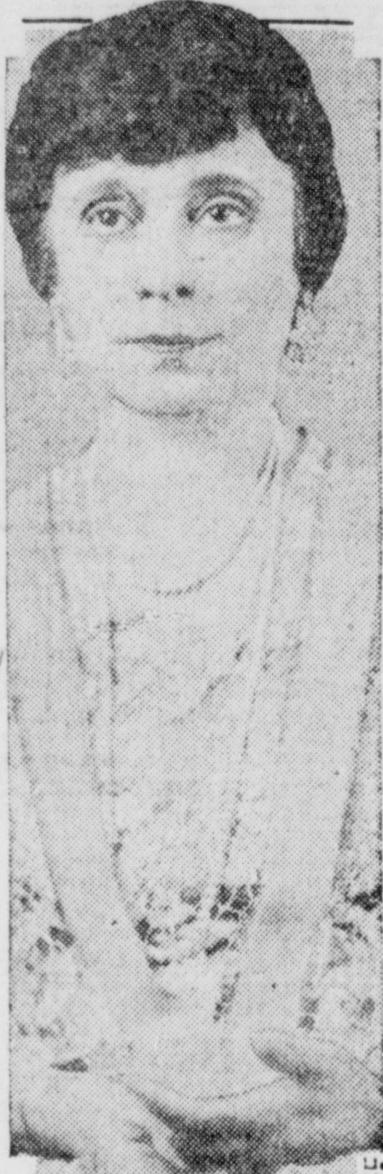
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John and Claude of Bowersville; Luther of Xenia; Kirk of Muncie, Ind.; Frank of Los Angeles; Mrs. Rose Merchant, Milledgeville; Mrs. Mary Zimmerman, Muncie, Ind., and Mrs. Violet Edwards, Appalugus, Ga.

New Society Leader



MOTHER
Perhaps the person who is the most difficult to give to is one's mother, as she always insists that she doesn't want a thing or else just some little thing."

Too many mothers get practical presents every year. Children ought to pick impractical presents for mother.

Black tulle, which is particularly becoming to the older woman is made up into a scarf for evening with colored lace motifs at either end. In spite of the fact that mother will claim that she cares nothing for lovely underwear try giving her a silk night-gown or slip and see how pleased she will be.

If you want to give her something lasting it is nice to add to her silver every year, preferably her toilet set, as the flat silver is too impersonal. Something which every woman appreciates and which might be a nice gift to put on the tree for mother is a case for the flat silver, hand made, and with separate compartments for different articles.

If you insist on giving mother something for the house, there are flower bowls of hand-spun glass; black felt bridge table covers applied in colored fests; table runners of tapestry or brocade or the new half-moon cushions of taffeta. A crystal pendant on a white gold chain, studded with pearls is another gift suggestion, and mother's favorite perfume is most acceptable as well.

More gift suggestions tomorrow.

MOTHER OF XENIAN
DIES ON SATURDAY

Mrs. R. A. Chitty, mother of John and Claude Chitty, Bowersville, and Luther Chitty, Xenia, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rose Merchant, Milledgeville, Saturday evening.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. Church, Bowersville, Tuesday at 2 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Goingsby. Interment was made in the cemetery at Bowersville, in the family plot, where Mrs. Chitty's husband is buried.

Mrs. Chitty leaves eight chil-

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Xenia, Ohio.

Algoma Central, Ontario, while the thermometer stood at thirty-six degrees below zero and three feet of snow covered the ground.

The animal was shot along what is known as Moose Creek and was brought out by a dog sited with a deer. Davis also bagged on his trip. He returned to Xenia Thursday after spending seven weeks at Poquette Camp, hunting.

STUDENT FOUND

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 7.—That Edwin Peck, 19, Toledo freshman at Ohio State University, was being held by police at Kansas City was the word reaching here today. Young Peck mysteriously disappeared here November 29.

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SUES FELLOW STUDENTS, WINS



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SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec.

"The play's the thing." This is the motto Miss Grace Johnson, young University of Utah playwright, is determined to pursue in the future, following a court victory here in her suit for \$700 against the university engineering society.

When the society, which is composed of engineering students, asked Miss Johnson to write a musical comedy for the annual theatrical performance, she was still an adherent to the Shakespearean dictum "The play's the thing."

But she began to waver when, after the play had been produced, she received only thanks for her trouble. Finally she filed suit for \$1,200 and the result that she was awarded a verdict.

It was alleged that when the play, "Mary Alice, Esq.," which Miss Johnson wrote, was produced at the Salt Lake theater, for two nights, March 23 and 24, the gross receipts were \$1,758. Attorneys representing the engineering club contended that the intention of the students had been to reward Miss Johnson with a gift but that there

never had been any agreement as to pay.

Miss Johnson, on the stand, told another story. She told them that the society said that they would make it right with her for her services. "I intend to make a business of writing plays," she said, "and I don't want to lose on my first one."

She is going to New York City shortly to continue her career as a playwright.

SCOUT NEWS
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Weekly meeting of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, scheduled for Tuesday night at Central High

FORMER XENIA GIRL HONORED AT SCHOOL

Miss Pauline Sutton, 16 Yale Ave., Dayton, formerly a resident of Xenia, who is a junior at Ohio Wesleyan University, has been honored by being chosen a member of the "committee of eighty-eight," an organization designed to boost the university in Ohio's eighty-eight counties.

Miss Sutton and Theodore C. Dunham, Dayton, will represent Montgomery County and have been invited to attend a dinner at Delaware, O., Thursday when final organization will be effected.

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School, has been again postponed until further notice, according to an announcement by Scoutmaster R. H. Kingsbury.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. MARY MCCORMICK AT HOME HERE TUESDAY

After an illness of long duration, Mrs. Mary McCormick, 72, widow of Joseph McCormick, passed away at her home on Center St., Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. McCormick had been bedfast ten days, and her death was hastened by an attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. McCormick was born in Cincinnati, her maiden name being Miss Mary Ennis. The family moved to Xenia when she was a small child and she was a resident of Xenia practically all her life.

Mr. McCormick's death occurred about fourteen years ago. Surviving are five children; Lee McCormick, Edward McCormick, Harry and Joseph McCormick, all of

Xenia and Mrs. William Dunlevy, Dayton. Mrs. McCormick would have reached her seventy-third birthday in March.

She was a member of St. Bridgid's Catholic Church and of the Sacred Heart Society. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later.

"TERRIBLE DEMON" CAUSES NEAR PANIC

An attempt was made by the police department to stop "The Terrible Demon," to be staged at City Hall Theater, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, at the dress rehearsal Monday.

The play written and directed by John Thomas Sutton, was presented for pupils of the O. S. and Bryant, Clifton, received a broken

S. O. Home and other Home employees, Monday. When the plot of the piece became too much for several women in the audience, a policeman made a futile attempt to stop the production.

The City Hall Theater outshone Earl Carroll's Bathtub Vanities for a time when John Law stepped in on the scene. Police interference is expected again Tuesday night but the curtain will rise at 8:30 despite protests. People with weak hearts are advised to not patronize the home-talent show to avoid further complications.

INJURY PROVES TO BE BROKEN BACK

Kenneth Bryant, 21, son of Fred

back several weeks ago, when he attempted to lift a heavy load, it developed in an X-ray examination taken at City Hospital, Springfield, where he was removed Monday. Young Bryant was unloading a truckload of hogs when a vertebra in his back snapped. For a time the injury could not be determined but continued pain caused him to enter the hospital, where he was placed in a plaster cast.

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PUBLIC SALE

The farm having been sold, I will sell at public auction on the S. K. Williamson farm, 2 miles from Cedarville and 7 miles from Xenia, off of the Columbus pike on the Kyle road.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1926

Commencing at 10:00 A. M.

1 Gray Mare (Weighing 1100 Lbs.)

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Consisting of 1 Jersey cow; 1 Jersey heifer; 1 Holstein with calf by side; 9 Shorthorn cows with calves by side; 1 Shorthorn springer, 5 feeding steers, 2 Shorthorn heifers; 1 Shorthorn bull; 1 Shorthorn bull calf. These are all high grade Shorthorn cattle raised on my farm.

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Consisting of Farmers' Favorite wheat drill; 1 Keystone hay loader; 1 Papec ensilage cutter, 16 in.; 1 International grinder; 1 phaeton buggy; 1 spring wagon; 1 Cider press; 1 set of square harrows; 1 Windmill frame; 1 barrel spray pump; 1 hay rope, 190 feet, good as new; 140 foot hay rope and pulleys; 2 sides of work harness; 1 set of buggy harness. Feed troughs and feed racks; 20 cement post forms; Clover buncher, fence stretchers; 1 International 3 h. p. upright gasoline engine, etc.

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18 tons of good alfalfa hay; 16 tons of good mixed hay; 300 bu. oats; 200 bu. rye. Household Goods—1 Walnut bedroom suite; 1 oak dresser; 1 iron bed; 1 rocking chair; 1 stand, 1 gasoline stove and other articles.

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PENNSY EMPLOYES HERE WILL BENEFIT

It is estimated that approximately 400 employees of the Cincinnati Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, trainmen, conductors and switchmen, many of whom live in Xenia and Greene County, will share in the wage increase of seven and one-half cents awarded recently by the first board of arbitration to operate under the new Watson-Barker law.

These men reside in Xenia, Dayton, Springfield, Lancaster, Zanesville and Columbus. Five hundred others subject to the same increase live in Cincinnati.

A total of 27,000 Pennsylvania Railroad employees will receive the wage increase, which will total \$4,000,000 yearly, it is being announced from Cincinnati headquarters.

Xenia railroad officials have not been officially advised of the pending increase in wages, it was stated Monday.

ANTIOCH BENEFITS FROM CARNEGIE GIFT

Photos, prints, textiles and old books are being received by Antioch College at Yellow Springs "piece-meal" from the Andrew Carnegie foundation, it is disclosed Monday.

Officials of the organization say that Antioch is one of twenty colleges to which art collections valued at \$5,000 are being sent.

College officials announce the school has already been sent a library of several hundred books, pictures, original prints, etchings, and wood cuts dating back as far as the sixteenth century down to modern times.

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FOOTING UP THE FIGURES



By AMY ABBOTT

Some of the new developments in foot and leg wear are pictured above. The new hip-length stockings are, of course, a result of

short skirts. Possibly next year women will be wearing full-length tights.

The boa shoe fad (see top) had

its origin in London, where women are tired of making their feet unattractive in winter with galoshes. Below this shoe (center), is a new creation for formal evening wear, and below that, an afternoon model.

CAESARCREEK HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The basket-ball season will open Friday, December 10, at home, with the Cedarville High School teams. Haines, of Dayton, will referee the games if he is obtainable. The following is the schedule for the Caesarcreek teams for 1926-27.

Dec. 10th, Cedarville at Caesarcreek.

Dec. 17th, Bellbrook at Caesarcreek.

Jan. 7th, Spring Valley at Caesarcreek.

Jan. 14th, Caesarcreek at Bowersville.

Jan. 21st, Caesarcreek at Bellbrook.

Jan. 28th, Bowersville at Caesarcreek.

Feb. 4th, Caesarcreek at O. S. and S. O. Home.

Feb. 11th, Beaver Creek at Caesarcreek.

Feb. 18th Caesarcreek at Spring Valley.

Students placed on the Honor Roll for the month of November, were:

Seniors—Forrest Ellis, Mildred Carle, Donald St. John, Robert St. John, Aletha Conklin, Grace Liming and Wilma Peterson.

Juniors—Elmer Colvin, Lucille Faulkner, Zora Jones and Rowena McKay.

Sophomores—Thelma Carle, Irene Peterson, Virginia St. John, and Mary Wilson.

Freshmen—Howard Bales and Helen Cade.

It is announced officially that the grade cards for the high school students will be given out every Wednesday evening following the

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Honey Lou believed her.

"But I wish you hadn't said even

so lucky when you have to climb that much, Anzia," she said un-

close of the school month. No departure will be made from this date so the parents of pupils will know when the grade cards are to sent to them for their inspection.

The play, "A Little Clodhopper" was given again Tuesday night, at Bowersville. Caesarcreek's share of the receipts was \$19.11. This money will be used to purchase classics for the English classes. As \$24.27 was also realized from the play when it was given at the Opera House. This will also be used for classics and magazines for the school. The play was coached by Miss Ruth Chitty.

A schedule has been made out for the Healthmobile, representing the American Red Cross, to make the schools in the county during the week of Dec. 6th to 10th. Wednesday, December 8th, 1:30 p. m. is the time scheduled for the Healthmobile for the Caesarcreek schools. The program lasts about one hour and consists of pictures

and lectures. Everybody in the community is invited to be present. No admission will be charged as no expense is attached to

the program. The grade teach-

ers are asked to excuse all pupils

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